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'SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE:' SPIRITED BIDDING PUNCTUATES DAY TWO OF FASIG-TIPTON OCTOBER SALE



A Curlin colt, hip 801, topped Tuesday's session | Fasig-Tipton

by Jessica Martini

LEXINGTON, KY - The Fasig-Tipton October Yearlings Sale reached its halfway mark with a vibrant day of trade topped by a \$550,000 son of Curlin who was one of the last horses through the ring Tuesday.

"It was tremendous second session of the 2024 Kentucky October Yearling sale," said Fasig-Tipton President Boyd Browning, Jr. "There was really spirited bidding from the very beginning of the sale to the very end of the sale. The level and consistency of the bidding throughout the day was truly encouraging."

Through two sessions of the four-day auction, 544 yearlings have grossed \$28,753,000 for an average of \$52,855 and a median of \$20,000. With just 137 yearlings failing to meet their reserves, the buy-back rate stands at 20.1%.

Through two sessions of the 2023 auction, 520 yearlings had grossed \$24,157,300 for an average of \$46,456 and a median of \$22,000. The four-day average of the 2023 sale was \$48,045 and the median was \$24,000. *Cont. p3*

BREEDING DIGEST: DRESDEN BREEDERS SHOW A SPECIAL EYE by Chris McGrath

With so many roads now leading to Del Mar, traffic may feel pretty slow just now. But we should make a virtue of that, in that our preoccupation with the elite program tends to deny due attention to those achieving their success a tier or so below the very top. After all, such people have typically required no less skill, endeavor and patience, often denied the very highest rewards only through lacking similar parity in resources.

Take the breeder of GIII Ontario Derby winner **Dresden Row** (Lord Nelson), whose emergence among Canada's leading sophomores is underpinned by a pedigree as interesting as it was inexpensively contrived.

His dam Elle Special cost Richard Reed just \$1,200 when culled by Calumet Farm at the 2018 Keeneland November Sale.

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IN TDN EUROPE TODAY

JOINT €500,000 TOPPERS FOR THE FIRST DAY OF THE ARQANA OCTOBER YEARLING SALE

A pair of colts, by Kingman (GB) and Night Of Thunder (Ire), each brought €500,000 during the first session of the Arqana October Yearling Sale on Tuesday. Alix Choppin has the details.



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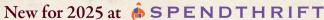
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Nyquist	3 1/4
KINGSBARNS	4
Golden Pal	4 ½ (turf)
Yaupon	5 ½
Mo Donegal	6 1/2
Arabian Knight	8



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GISW Angel Of Empire is ready for breeder inspections at Taylor Made Stallions. | Jon Siegel

17 | THE CHOSEN VRON TO MISS BREEDERS' CUP

Two-time GI Bing Crosby Stakes winner The Chosen Vron (Vronsky), who holds a 'Win and You're In' berth for the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint Nov. 2, will bypass the race after being placed on the vet's list Monday due to "unsoundness" at Santa Anita.

18 | JUDDMONTE SETS 2025 FEES FOR ELITE POWER, MANDALOUN

Elite Power, a two-time Eclipse champion sprinter as well as a dual GI Breeders' Cup Sprint winner, will stand for \$50,000, while 2021 GI Kentucky Derby winner Mandaloun, whose first foals are weanlings this fall, will stand for \$15,000.

18 | PTHA DIRECTORS REFUTE CORRUPTION ALLEGATIONS

Seven of the 11 directors of the Pennsylvania Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (PTHA) filed a legal response Monday that denied sweeping allegations of corruption and cronyism that were made last month by the PTHA's current president and another board member.



Fasig-Tipton, cont. from p1

"It was statistically a magnificent day, with a noticeable

increase in the average over the overall sale average last year," Browning said. "We are tracking really well. Browning continued: "Obviously, we are just halfway through, with two more days to go, but we are delighted with the look and the feel and the energy that is on the sales grounds and very pleased halfway through the sale."

Bloodstock agent Alistair Roden, bidding on behalf of Mark Breen, purchased the auction's top offering so far, going to \$550,000 to acquire a

son of Curlin from the Taylor Made Sales Agency consignment. The colt was one of 10 to sell for \$300,000 or more on the day and brought the two-day total to reach that mark to 15. It was 10 at the same point a year ago.

Through two days, 34 yearlings have sold for \$200,000 or more, up from 24 at the halfway mark of the 2023 auction.

The October results continued to show a deep and diverse buying bench with nine of Tuesday's top 10 offerings purchased

by unique interests.

"The October sale truly has something for everyone," Browning said. "That's reflected in the buyer group that is on the sale grounds. We could have a United Nations conference in the back walking ring. It's great for our industry to be an exporter of this many horses, as well as to have a healthy racing game here in the United States."

The October sale continues through Thursday with sessions beginning daily at 10 a.m.



Alistair Roden | Fasig-Tipton

Curlin Colt a Late Topper for Roden

After watching Carlos Manresa sign the ticket at \$350,000 on a colt by Tapit, Alistair Roden said ruefully, "That could have been me." The bloodstock agent eventually got his chance, acquiring a colt by Curlin (hip 801) for a session-topping \$550,000 late in the day Tuesday at Fasig-Tipton. *Cont.*





Hip 801 | Fasig-Tipton

"This was for an old client and friend Mark Breen, who lives in Phoenix," Roden said of the purchase. "He's been in the horse business for a while."

Hip 801 is out of Sass and Class (Harlan's Holiday) and is a half-brother to multiple graded winner Royal Charlotte (Cairo Prince). He was consigned by Taylor Made Agency on behalf of his breeder, Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings.

"He always dreams of having a nice 3-year-old," Roden said of Breen. "Which everybody does in this game. He loved this horse's pedigree. I loved his physical."

Of the colt's final price, Roden said, "I was already out. And then the phone rang. He rang and he told me to keep going. But I figured it would be around that price. He's a lovely horse. He's by Curlin. He has a stallion's pedigree and, if he's a Grade I winner, he's a \$30-million horse."

Roden added, "Let's hope the horse gods shine on him and we have some luck."

Breen campaigned Endorsed (Medaglia d'Oro), winner of last year's GII Gulfstream Park Mile, as well as 2014 GIII Iowa Derby winner Jessica's Star (Magna Graduate).

Woodford, Walden Back for More

John Skyes's Woodford Thoroughbreds, which has already enjoyed graded stakes success with young trainer Will Walden this year, will be adding another yearling to the stable after bloodstock agent Ryder Finney secured a colt by Vekoma (hip 510) for \$360,000 during Tuesday's second session of the Fasig-Tipton October sale.

"Will Walden has been training a couple for him that he bought over at Tattersalls and has had some success with the first couple of goes in the States and Mr. Sykes is ready for some more," Finney said after signing the ticket on the yearling. *Cont.*



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Consigned by Machmer Hall on behalf of his breeder, Chip Montgomery's Haymarket Farm, the bay is out of the unraced Monarchia (Arch). He is a half-brother to stakes winner Unifying

(Union Rags).

"He is super athletic," Finney said of the colt's appeal. "I thought everything about him was so athletic. I loved the way he moved. I loved the way he's made. Will and I talked about it when we saw him the first time. He kind of reminded us of Life Is Good physically. Just super well made. Awesome neck side, great shoulder, big hip. He has everything that we want physically. And Vekoma has obviously been a very hot

freshman stallion. Will and I have been high on Vekoma for a while. Everything fit together."

Woodford Thoroughbreds and Walden were in the winner's circle earlier this year with Pipsy (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), who won the GIII Soaring Softly Stakes in May. They teamed up to win an

Oct. 17 Keeneland allowance with Aussie Girl (Ire) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}). Both mares were purchased last December at Tattersalls.

Montgomery purchased Monarchia, in foal to Omaha Beach,

for \$50,000 at the 2022 Keeneland January sale. The mare's Omaha Beach filly sold for \$67,000 at last year's October sale.

Tuesday's result marked the resumption of the successful partnership of Haymarket Farm and Machmer Hall.

"Chip Montgomery was a good friend of mine for a long time," Machmer Hall's Carrie Brogden said. "We started out as friends 25 years ago. And we just recently got back together. This is a culmination of 25 years of



Ryder Finney | Fasig-Tipton

friendship. We had a lot of successes before--a lot--and now we are looking to have a lot of successes in the future again."

Brogden also gave credit to JR Sebastian of Springhill Equine, who prepped the yearling. *Cont.*



"I have to give so much credit to JR," Brogden said. "This horse, the last 30 days, has just blossomed into this beautiful animal. He was always targeted for this sale. It's so thrilling for me to not only have the success for JR--it's thrilling for their staff--and for me and my friendship with Chip and his whole family."

D J Stable Gets More of the Jaywalk Family

The Green family's D J Stable captured the 2018 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies with Jaywalk (Cross Traffic), so it was a nobrainer to bid on a yearling out of a half-sister to that champion, bloodstock agent Kim Valerio said after signing the ticket at \$350,000 to secure the filly by Tapit (hip 492) from the Gainesway consignment Tuesday at Fasig-Tipton.

"We are looking for fillies to put in the breeding program," Valerio, who did her bidding upstairs while on the phone with Len Green, said. "And this family just keeps coming on."

The bay filly is out of Miss Jessica J (Empire Maker), who is a half-sister to, not only Jaywalk, but also to multiple stakes winner Danzatrice (Dunkirk), who is the dam of GI Toyota Blue Grass Stakes winner Tapit Trice (Tapit).

Asked if she sees similarities between the yearling and Jaywalk, Valerio said, "No, not really. She has more of the bottom side, the Empire Maker, and she is inbred to be bigger



Kim Valerio | Fasig-Tipton

and stretchier. I would say she looks more like Untapable. She is big and narrow."

Bidding on the filly, who was bred by Al Shira'aa Racing and Gainesway Thoroughbreds, started out slowly, but built steadily.

"Len was on the phone and I had to look down and look back-obviously, they don't mind staying until 9 p.m.," Valerio said with a laugh. "And then we were all panicking that we were on the wrong horse." *Cont.*



Of the final price, Valerio said, "I was hoping we would get her for \$250,000 or \$275,000. At Keeneland--if she was ready thenshe would have brought that and more."

Valerio is working the 1600-head sale on her own, but said she felt it was important to go through as many horses as possible.

"There are a lot of really nice horses here," she said. "I let my help go on vacation, so I am hustling. I forgot how many horses are here. Maybe I should stop doing all-shows at some point, but I like to see them all."

Valerio, who is a proponent of limiting stallion book sizes to some degree, said it was important to her to look at yearlings by a wide variety of sires.

"I am a big proponent for coming to some kind of agreement with the stallion farms," she said. "I am not saying 140. I am not even saying 180, but to start limiting the books some. So I feel like, if I am going to try to preach to people, then I owe it to the other people to at least look at not all the best stallions. I've looked at all of Chuck Fipke's Danish Dynaformers. I looked at all of his Perfect Timbers. I feel it's important for me, as an agent, to not discount everything when I want the business to move forward in a better direction."



Hip 492 | Fasig-Tipton

Asked if she has been impressed by any of those sires who might be flying under the radar, Valerio said, "I don't know if he's under the radar, but I've bought a Raging Bull (Fr). I do like those. Cairo Prince isn't under the radar, but he's underlooked."

More Constitution for Twin Creeks

Twin Creeks Farm, which campaigned Constitution, acquired a filly by the sire to add to its Red White and Blue Racing syndicate when farm manager Ryan Bardin bid \$350,000 for hip 620 from the Woods Edge Farm consignment Tuesday at the October sale. "She is an outstanding physical," Bardin said of the yearling.





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Bred by Narola, the yearling is out of Panthera Onca (Super Saver), a daughter of graded winner Molto Vita (Carson City). Red White and Blue Racing campaigns Neat, also by Constitution, who won this year's GII National Museum of Racing and Hall of Fame Stakes, as well as this year's GII Beaumont Stakes winner Denim and Pearls (Into Mischief).

Of immediate plans for the syndicate's newest acquisition, Bardin said, "She will ship over to WinStar to get broke. [Twin Creek's] Randy Gullatt will determine who suits her as a trainer."

Broman Continues to Dream of Derby

Longtime owner and breeder Chester Broman, whose wife Mary passed away last week at 88, continues to pursue the couple's shared dream of reaching the GI Kentucky Derby, with advisors Becky Thomas and Carlos Manresa acquiring a pair of yearlings on his behalf during Tuesday's second session of the October auction. Broman purchased a colt by Tapit (hip 757) from the Gainesway consignment for \$350,000 and paid \$300,000 for a colt by Nyquist (hip 729) from Blandford Stud.

"It has been a dream of his--both his and his wife--to go to the Derby," Manresa said. "That is something they shared together and that he wants to continue in her legacy. So that is the plan. We are going to continue to buy horses and try to make that dream come true for him."

Bred by Mark Stansell and Tapit Syndicate, hip 757 is out of graded stakes winner River Maid (Where's the Ring) and is a half-brother to Grade I-placed Cocktail Moments (Uncle Mo).



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"He has a beautiful body," Manresa said of the colt. "He could have been placed in any sale anywhere in the country and I think he would have been very popular. Gainesway did a great job with him. We all loved him and we are happy to have him."

Hip 729 is out of Ready Ready (More Than Ready), whose 2-year-old daughter Abientot (Not This Time) won the GIII Matron Stakes earlier this month.

"He had a big update, a lot of pedigree, and great physical, especially for a Classic distance," Manresa said of the yearling, who was bred by Killora Stud.

Thomas purchased a pair of yearlings on behalf of Broman at the Keeneland September sale last month, going to \$1.15 million for a colt by Gun Runner (hip 73) and \$325,000 for a son of Constitution (hip 836).



Carlos Manresa | Fasig-Tipton

"I think what helps him through the whole process is his love for horses and the fact that he and Mary shared that together," Manresa said of Broman.

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429 colt

Good Magic Malibu Dawn 270,000

Consigned by Eaton Sales, agent Purchased by Mahmud Mouni

Roger Schipke purchased Malibu Dawn, with this colt in utero, for \$100,000 at the 2022 Keeneland November sale, but sadly didn't get to see the yearling hit a homerun for his breeding operation Tuesday. Schipke, who campaigned Grade I winner Ops Smile, passed away in April at the age of 87.

"This horse always excited us and we thought he was going to be good," said Schipke's advisor Bill Landes of Hermitage Farm. "He was scheduled for September, but he developed a skin disease on his pasterns about three weeks prior to the sale and was just not going to look all he could be in that time frame. So we scratched him out of September, and to Mrs. [Joyce] Schipke's good fortune, entered him in October."

Landes continued, "There is such a thing as an equine dermatologist, if you can imagine, and her name is Dr. [Julia] Miller. She came up with ideas and creams and they worked. They settled the disease down and the horse was turned out attractive and as good as he could be. Kudos to the Hermitage Farm crew that got him there and for [Eaton Sales'] Reiley [McDonald] for holding my hand and saying, 'Bill, it will be all right.' I told Reiley and Mrs. Schipke this is not a financial deal. It is an emotional deal. Mrs. Schipke wanted Roger's investment to turn out and it sure did."

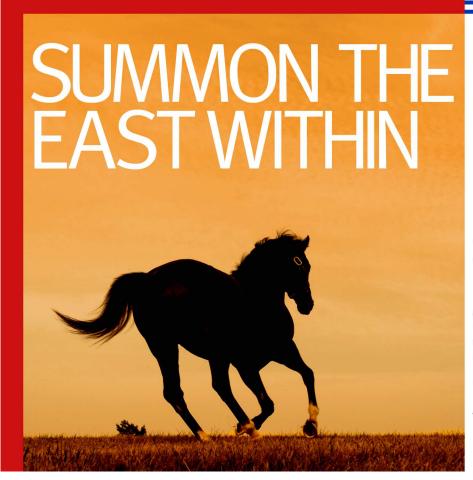
Of Schipke's purchase of Malibu Dawn in 2022, Landes said, "He picked her out. Our farm manager Brian Knippenberg OK'd the physical for him and actually did the bidding to buy her. We foaled the mare and raised the baby."

The 8-year-old Malibu Dawn produced a colt by Liam's Map this year and the weanling is catalogued as hip 2334 with the Hermitage Farm consignment at next month's Keeneland November sale.

"I promised Joyce when Roger died that I would see this through for her," Landes said.

The mare did not get in foal this year.

"We bred Malibu Dawn to Practical Joke the day Roger passed," Landes said. *Cont.*





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"Me not knowing that he had died that day, but knowing he was sick, I said, 'let's give it a go.' She did not conceive."

Asked what Schipke's response to Tuesday's result would have been, Landes said, "He would have been over the moon. He would have been very happy. And I can hear him laughing and being happy right about now."



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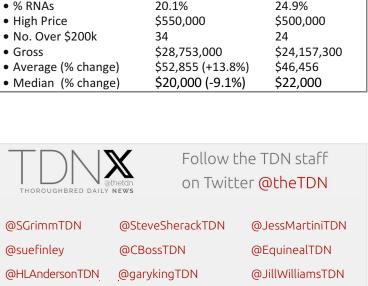
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SESSION TOTALS	2024	2023
	2024	2023
Catalogued	404	400
No. Offered	329	335
No. Sold	267	260
• RNAs	62	75
• % RNAs	18.8%	22.4%
High Price	\$550,000	\$500,000
• No. Over \$200k	19	15
• Gross	\$14,888,000	\$12,856,500
Average (% change)	\$55,760 (+12.8%)	\$49,448
Median (% change)	\$20,000 (-20.0%)	\$25,000

CUMULATIVE TOTALS	2024	2023
 Catalogued 	808	800
No. Offered	681	692
No. Sold	544	520
• RNAs	137	172
• % RNAs	20.1%	24.9%
 High Price 	\$550,000	\$500,000
 No. Over \$200k 	34	24
• Gross	\$28,753,000	\$24,157,30
• Average (% change)	\$52 855 (±12 8%)	\$16.156



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SESSION TOPPERS



FASIG-TIPTON OCTOBER YEARLING SALE **TUESDAY'S TOP YEARLINGS**

HIP SEX SIRE | DAM PRICE (\$) 550,000

801 colt

Curlin--Sass and Class

Breeder: Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings (Ky) Consignor: Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent for

Stonestreet Bred & Raised

Purchaser: Alistair Roden, Agent for Mark Breen

Vekoma--Monarchia **510** colt

360,000

Breeder: Haymarket Farm (Ky)

Consignor: Machmer Hall Sales, Agent for HREH Raised

at Springhill Equine

Purchaser: Ryder Finney, Agent for Woodford Thoroughbreds

492 filly Tapit--Miss Jessica J 350,000

Breeder: Al Shira'aa Racing & Gainesway Tbreds (KY)

Consignor: Gainesway, Agent XXI Purchaser: DJ Stable/Kim Valerio, agent

620 filly Constitution--Panthera Onca 350,000

Breeder: Narola (Ky)

Consignor: Woods Edge Farm, Agent III

Purchaser: Red White and Blue

757 colt Tapit--River Maid 350,000

Breeder: Mark Stansell & Tapit Syndicate (Ky)

Consignor: Gainesway, Agent XXI

Purchaser: Becky Thomas, Agent for Chester Broman



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769 colt Uncle Mo--Roughing 350,000 (\$350,000 RNA yrl '24 FTSAUG; \$190,000 wnlg '23 KEENOV)

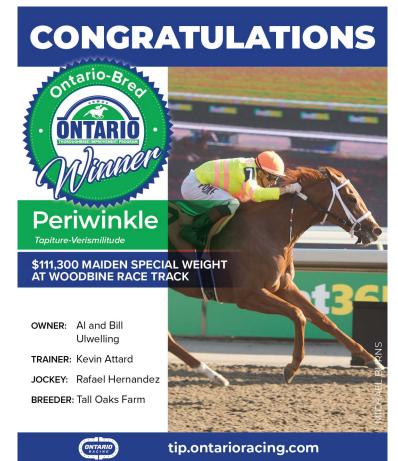
Breeder: Perry Martin (Ky)

Consignor: Vinery Sales, Agent LXXIX

Purchaser: Stonebridge Farm



Hip 467 | Fasig-Tipton



467 filly Twirling Candy--Midsummer Bird 320,000

Breeder: Marylou Whitney Stables (Ky)

Consignor: Gainesway, Agent for Estate of J Hendrickson

Purchaser: Marquee Bloodstock LLC, agent

500 colt Quality Road--Miss Sunset 300,000 (\$400,000 RNA yrl '24 KEESEP; \$335,000 wnlg '23 FTKNOV)

Breeder: Breeze Easy (Ky)

Consignor: Woods Edge Farm, agent

Purchaser: J & J Stables

490 colt Charlatan--Miss Hollywood 300,000

Breeder: Brinker Hill Farm (Ky)

Consignor: Summerfield (Francis & Barbara

Vanlangendonck), agent

Purchaser: Jones/Everett, agent

729 colt Nyquist--Ready Ready Ready 300,000

Breeder: Killora Stud (Ky)

Consignor: Blandford Stud (Padraig Campion), agent Purchaser: Becky Thomas, agent for Chester Broman



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- Bloodstock agent Alistair Roden made the highest bid of the first two sessions of the October sale, going to \$550,000 to acquire a colt by Curlin from the Taylor Made Sales Agency consignment on behalf of owner Mark Breen. The yearling was bred by Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings and is a half-brother to multiple graded winner Royal Charlotte (Cairo Prince).
- Charlatan was represented by the top-priced yearling by a first-crop sire when a colt by the stallion sold for \$300,000 to Jones/Everett, agent from the Summerfield consignment.

Longtime owner/breeder Chester Broman, whose wife Mary passed away last week, continued to pursue their shared dream of reaching the Kentucky Derby, purchasing a son of Tapit for \$350,000 and a colt by Nyquist for \$300,000.



Fasig-Tipton

Breeding Digest, cont. from p1

That would have seemed a ridiculous price when she stood in the Fair Grounds winner's circle after her debut in a turf sprint in 2010. For the ability she had revealed made plenty of sense: she was by Giant's Causeway out of an unraced Seeking the Gold half-sister to G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe winner Peintre Celebre (Nureyev).

Unfortunately Elle Special did not consolidate. In fact, she ended up running under a tag at Mountaineer, albeit she'd won a couple of minor races in the meantime. Calumet was able to buy her for \$20,000 on retirement, and she made the most of such chances as she had there: her first foal, by Eye of the Leopard, managed a couple of wins in Mexico. Cont.

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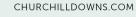
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Arabian Knight



Breeding Digest, cont.

Her second, a son of Raison d'Etat, won at Keeneland and Churchill before being beaten barely a length in his solitary try in graded company. Elle Special's next registered foal, in 2017, did better yet. A son of Oxbow sold for just \$6,000 as a yearling, he remained unraced when Reed bought his dam but subsequently emerged as Hopeful Treasure to win the GIII Fall Highweight Handicap at Aqueduct.

Now the fact is that Reed and Tiffany Zammit have finite resources at TCR Ranch. They graze only a handful of mares on 100 acres, 20 minutes southwest of Keeneland, yet have bred a bunch of stakes horses over the years. The expertise required to do so was demonstrated in finding this mare, but sadly yielded scant reward. First they received just \$11,000 for Elle Special's short yearling by Lord Nelson, that luckless sire having just succumbed to his final health crisis, at the 2022 January Sale. And then real disaster struck, a few weeks later, when they lost the mare and her last foal together.



Dresden Row | Michael Burns

Dresden Row is therefore the bequest of two tragic parents in Elle Special and Lord Nelson. He elevated his value to \$70,000 when pinhooked to True North Stables at OBS last year; and has really thrived for Lorne Richards, winning five of his last six including the GIII Durham Cup against his elders and now Saturday's big race.

His talent rewards quite a gamble in the choice of Lord Nelson for Elle Special, both being out of Seeking the Gold mares. But a similarly concentrated formula has produced another of Lord Nelson's principal talents, **Super Chow**, a triple graded stakes winner this year. Not only is his damsire Warrior's Reward out of a Seeking the Gold mare; Super Chow's granddam is actually full-sister to Lord Nelson's, both by Southern Halo out of Argentinian blue hen Miss Peggy (Arg).



Super Chow | Sarah Andrew

Anyhow the net result, for Dresden Row, is wonderful quality through the third generation: besides Seeking the Gold twice, the other gentlemen in the equation are Storm Cat and A.P. Indy; while the four ladies are the aristocrat Preach (another representative for Seeking the Gold's sire Mr. Prospector); Argentinian champion Miss Linda (Arg) (Southern Halo); matriarch Mariah's Storm (Rahy); and Peintre Bleue (Alydar), whose champion son Peintre Celebre was only the icing on a sumptuous Wildenstein cake. Herself winner of the GII Long Island Handicap, she produced a further series of black-type performers and/or producers, the most recent being granddaughter **Pensee Du Jour (Ire)** (Camelot {GB}), a Group 2 winner in France this year. **Cont.**



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That this is no accident can be judged from TCR Ranch offerings at the imminent Keeneland sale. Smarthalf (Smart Strike), already responsible for graded stakes performer Clayton (Bodemeister), is out of an A.P. Indy half-sister to champion juvenile filly Halfbridled (Unbridled). Offered as Hip 2445 in foal to Maclean's Music, she'll be followed into the ring by her Goldencents colt. And look out for Hip 1795, a son of highflying McKinzie out of another Calumet cast-off, Dram Girl (English Channel). This mare, out of Grade I winner Notable Career (Avenue of Flags), was found at the same sale as Elle Special and nearly as cheaply.

She was carrying a son of Big Blue Kitten who has gone on to black-type success, a rare distinction for his sire. So while a cruel fate has denied Dresden Row's breeders the chance to capitalize on his dam, perhaps the acuity they showed in taking her from Calumet will instead pay off with this parallel project.

CLEVER AND NOT SO COSTLY

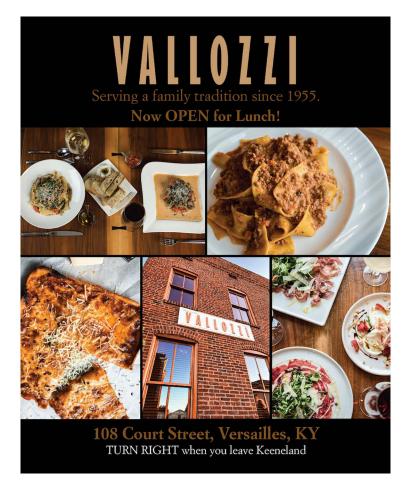
No surprise to see **Emery** (More Than Ready) continuing to thrive, the GII Raven Run Stakes winner having laid down her foundations at Nursery Place. Her ongoing success will remind prospectors to check out that exemplary farm's weanling consignment back at the Keeneland November Sale, where she was found by the Stonestreet team for \$235,000 three years ago.

It was obvious that they were delighted with her progress when they returned in 2022 to pick up her dam Athena (Street Sense) for only \$130,000, with an Improbable filly on board.

Athena had carried the silks of Emery's breeder Mary Grum through a 7-for-27 track career featuring three stakes wins on dirt between six and eight furlongs. That made her much the



Emery | Coady Media



best of the otherwise modest winners out of an unraced Rock of Gibraltar (Ire) half-sister to Peeping Tom.

Winner of the GI Carter Handicap, and twice placed in the GI Met Mile while banking over \$1.4 million, Peeping Tom was ingeniously named as a son of Eagle Eyed out of the Nasty and Bold mare Artful Pleasure. Herself graded stakes-placed, Artful Pleasure was among several talented performers and/or producers out of Clever But Costly (Clever Trick): her siblings included GI Futurity Stakes winner Traitor (Cryptoclearance); GII Pennsylvania Derby winner Sun King (Charismatic); four-time graded stakes scorer Ocean Drive (Belong To Me); and the unraced dam of two multiple graded stakes winners.

That's a major family to have fallen rather fallow for a generation, but the embers have been stoked now and Stonestreet will doubtless ensure that More Than Ready's growing (and global) legacy as a broodmare sire will someday be enhanced by Emery. Already this month his daughters have produced elite winners **Carl Spackler (Ire)** (Lope De Vega {Ire}) and **She Feels Pretty** (Karakontie {Jpn}).

In the meantime Emery's emergence has consoled the purchasers of Athena's previous foal, a Candy Ride (Arg) filly, for \$210,000 at the 2021 September Sale. She never made the racetrack, but now finds herself a radiant broodmare prospect in returning to Keeneland as Hip 1094, in foal to Up to the Mark.

DAMSIRE DOUBLES UP IN DOWAGER

More Than Ready's big month as a broodmare sire last weekend prompted a similar posthumous push by Giant's

Causeway. As already noted, one of his daughters produced Dresden Row--and next day two others sent out fillies to share a photo for the GIII Dowager Stakes. (For good measure, the third home was by his son Not This Time.)

Julia Tuttle, who's out of a sister to Candy Ride (Arg), has already produced Tom's d'Etat by Smart Strike, and her daughter Forever After All (Connect) is similarly thriving with maturity. She took nine attempts to break her maiden but here failed by just a nose against millionaire Chop Chop (City of Light).

The winner is out of Grand Sofia, an unraced half-sister to GI Hollywood Gold Cup winner Rail Trip (Jump Start) who failed to

Chop Chop (outside) and Forever After All (inside) | Coady Media

Fasig-Tipton last November. We'll have to see how ambitious connections of Chop Chop prove when she appears in the same ring; while her 3-year-old half-sister by Omaha Beach, Sweet

Miss Maggie, sells at Keeneland [Hip 1635].

City of Light, incidentally, had been indebted to yet another daughter of Giant's Causeway for a further turf winner, Fearless Soldier, at Santa Anita only the previous day. More important, perhaps, was an impressive debut last Thursday by Uncle Jim, on the same Keeneland dirt that saw another City of Light juvenile, Filoso, claim a Grade I podium earlier this month. Valuable fresh blood, then, to back up Mentee--who somewhat

emulated his boom-bust brother **Fierceness** when bouncing back from his GI Hopeful eclipse with a graded stakes success at Belmont earlier this month. *Cont.*



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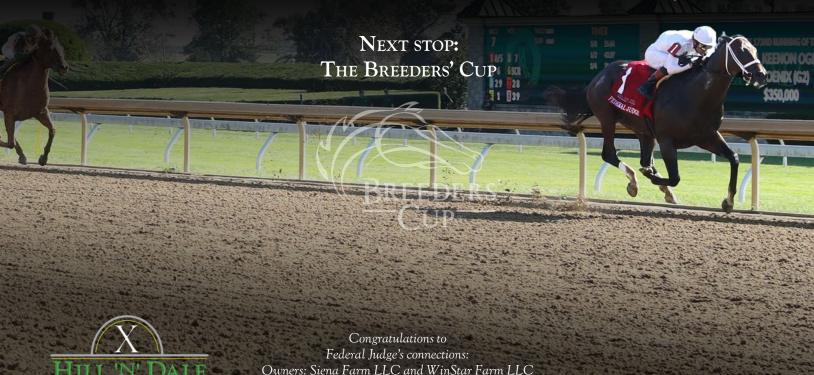
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NEW GRADED STAKES WINNER

Coming off a 6 Length Victory last time out, FEDERAL JUDGE is now a Graded Stakes Winner after going gate to wire in the Grade 2 Phoenix Stakes, Defeating Vanderbilt (G1) winner Nakatomi by 5 1/2 lengths, on opening day at Keeneland.

Federal Judge posted a 106 Beyer, the co-highest up to a mile this year, and now boasts a record of 4 wins and 1 second from 6 starts.

HE IS 1 OF 5 GRADED STAKES HORSES FOR ARMY MULE IN 2024.



Breeder: Caperlane Farm

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Breeding Digest, cont.

He switched surfaces there and these glimpses of chlorophyll are intriguing in City of Light, whose granddam was half-sister to Cacoethes (by Alydar, yet memorably ran Nashwan to a neck at Ascot in 1989). And of course his sire Quality Road is by the versatile Elusive Quality out of a Strawberry Road mare. Elite European programs take note.

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THE CHOSEN VRON TO MISS BREEDERS' CUP



The Chosen Vron | Benoit

Two-time GI Bing Crosby Stakes winner The Chosen Vron (Vronsky), who holds a 'Win and You're In' berth for the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint Nov. 2, will bypass the race, according to a report by Zoe Cadman on X. Cadman, part of the team who hosts the TDN Writers' Room Podcast, attributed the news to The Chosen Vron's co-owner John Sondereker.

The Chosen Vron won six straight after a fifth behind champion Elite Power (Curlin) in last year's Breeders' Cup Sprint and most recently finished second by a neck in the Aug. 24 GII Pat O'Brien Stakes at Del Mar. The California Horse Racing Board (CHRB) placed the 6-year-old gelding on the vet's list Monday due to "unsoundness" at Santa Anita.

A 17-time black-type winner, The Chosen Vron is trained by J. Eric Kruljac and campaigns for Kruljac, Sondereker Racing LLC, Robert S. Fetkin, and Richard Thornburgh.

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JUDDMONTE SETS 2025 FEES FOR ELITE POWER, MANDALOUN



Elite Power | Sarah Andrew

The American division of Juddmonte Farms, which currently stands two young stallions, has announced stud fees for 2025, according to a release Tuesday afternoon.

Elite Power, a two-time Eclipse champion sprinter as well as a dual GI Breeders' Cup Sprint winner, will stand for \$50,000, stands and nurses. It represents the same introductory fee he stood for in 2024, his first season at stud. His first foals will arrive next spring.

2021 GI Kentucky Derby winner **Mandaloun**, whose first foals are weanlings this fall, will stand for \$15,000, stands and nurses. While Elite Power, by Curlin, was a \$900,000 Keeneland September purchase by Juddmonte, **Mandaloun**, by Into Mischief, is a four-generation Juddmonte homebred.

"We were very pleased with Elite Power's first book of mares. They really are a stellar group," said Juddmonte USA's General Manager Garrett O'Rourke. "Mandaloun, who will have his first foals offered for sale next month, appears to have some standouts here on the farm."

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FACING CORRUPTION ALLEGATIONS, PTHA DIRECTORS SAY CHARGES 'HAVE NO BASIS IN FACT OR REALITY' by T.D. Thornton

Seven of the 11 directors of the Pennsylvania Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (PTHA) filed a legal response Monday that denied sweeping allegations of corruption and cronyism that were made last month by the PTHA's current president and another board member.

Facing a petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Bucks County, Pennsylvania, that seeks to use a state business corporations law to remove those seven directors from the PTHA board, the respondents stated in their Oct. 21 filing that the petition should be denied "because it is both legally and factually deficient."

Back on Sept. 6, PTHA president Bob Hutt and board of directors member John Julia, both elected in 2022, initiated legal action to try to correct what they alleged was years of mismanagement "by self-interested Directors with conflicting goals who conducted themselves without regard for their fiduciary obligations to PTHA and to the member Horsemen that it dutybound to represent."

Among the allegations were charges of obstruction to corruption investigations and more than a million dollars of "illicit and disguised ghost consulting payments" and "lame duck" contract awards that were purportedly authorized by and at times reportedly made to the PTHA's past president and the organization's current executive director.

The petition alleged that those board members failed to carry out duties they were elected to perform on behalf of the 2,500 owners, breeders and trainers that the PTHA represents at Parx.

The directors that Hutt and Julia want removed are Jeffrey Matty, Jr. (who also is under contract to work as the PTHA's executive director), Kathleen DeMasi (the PTHA's vice-president), Charles Asensio, Jack Armstrong, Scott Lake, Robert Reid, Jr., and John Servis.

Those seven directors led off their Oct. 21 legal response by alleging that Hutt and Julia have failed to comply with a requirement in the law they are trying to use to remove the directors that relates to judicial supervision of corporate action.

"More importantly," the respondents continued, "the Petition is riddled with falsehoods that can (and will) be easily disproven." *Cont.*



Parx Racing | Sarah Andrew

PTHA directors, cont.

The legal response continued: "Although [the petition] rails against the alleged misdeeds of Mr. Hutt's predecessor as President of the Association [Salvatore DeBunda, who had served four consecutive three-year terms as president and a total of nine terms on the board of directors before Hutt won the presidency via election], it fails to allege any material ongoing conduct that substantiates the severe relief that the Petition seeks. Of the little that is alleged in the Petition that is actually purportedly 'ongoing,' the allegations are vague, conclusory and have no basis in fact or reality."

Hutt and Julia's petition stated that the seven so-called legacy directors "have created a voting block that, notwithstanding the fiduciary obligations each Director owes to PTHA, routinely vote to ignore, condone, and conceal past misconduct, perpetuate ongoing misconduct, and prevent PTHA, under the leadership of [Hutt], from taking timely and effective action to enforce its rights and recoup its losses."

The allegations made by Hutt and Julia do not constitute a criminal complaint, nor are the petitioners attempting to use the court filing to recover any purportedly misspent money.

But the aggregate amount of money that Hutt and Julia allege is linked to purported malfeasance reaches beyond seven figures, and it is possible that as the civil case proceeds, it could generate interest from law enforcement that might result in separate criminal charges.

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HEART OF HORSE RACING SEEKS TO TELL A DIFFERENT STORY by Dan Ross

Horse racing has a PR problem. Tina Bond has a possible solution.

"It's to create a new narrative and to help elevate the sport," said Bond, president of the New York Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association (NYTHA), and the mastermind behind The Heart of Horse Racing, a new campaign—one undergoing something of a soft launch—to cultivate new followers to the game by sharing the stories of those already in it.

In the campaign's own words, "our mission is to win over the hearts and minds of a new generation of fans while nurturing the passion of our existing community."

In Bond's own words, "there's just so much opportunity for us to share our stories, we're just not very good at it," said Bond, highlighting the fractured nature of the sport. "We're not like the NFL or baseball or soccer that's centralized. You have all these different tracks and all these individual trainers are individual businesses. This is a [unified] movement, and I think it's desperately needed."



Tina Bond with Ruffino | Courtesy Tina Bond

The campaign has begun with a three-minute video containing name brands like Jena Antonucci, Todd Pletcher and Frankie Dettori discussing just what it is about horse racing that makes their roles less of a job and more of a vocation. The video has already played on The New York Racing Association's (NYRA) America's Day at the Races.

"I think this is a good time to launch it prior to the Breeders' Cup. Maybe it'll get some traction at that kind of level," Bond said, of the timing of the campaign's roll-out. "We started it in New York but it's going to go across the country, because it impacts the entire Thoroughbred industry."

The firm Bond hired to manage the campaign—the New York-based FINN Partners—has something like 10 hours of footage recorded this summer at Saratoga, she said, mainly interviews with trainers, jockeys, owners and others in the industry.

"All of these things will be ready to go, whether it's on YouTube channel or through social media, but I think there'll be a lot more video content. I think the video is important--that's what people gravitate to," she said.

Where does the project go from here? The answer lies with the industry itself, said Bond. "We need to get people to support it," she said. "There's a lot of work that we can do to reach people that we've never reached before."

NYTHA has already thrown its money and weight behind the project, she said. Fasig-Tipton and the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association (TOBA) have also voiced interest in the venture, she added.

"We don't yet have a big budget to go on the national level," Bond said. "We have to build ambassadors for this and get sponsors." *Cont.*



Heart of Horse Racing. cont.

Bond has talked partnering with the figures behind the recently launched Light Up Racing, its mission statement to educate stakeholders in how to best manage difficult conversations with those from outside of the sport. Safety Runs First is another relatively new program focused on equine welfare.

"This is the hook," said Bond, of the role The Heart of Horse Racing can play in conjunction with those other two twin programs. "This will hook people in."

Interestingly, Bond doesn't believe public attitudes towards the sport are as intractable as many stakeholders suspect--nor as bleak.



Jena Antonucci | Sarah Andrew

According to research conducted for the campaign, only $1.3\,\%$ of horse racing media coverage is negative. Some 62% of people asked had favorable perceptions of the sport, while only 10% held a negative one.

As for some of the obstacles to cultivating and growing a new audience, only 21% of those asked believed the sport is family friendly and inclusive, more than one-quarter harbored horse welfare concerns, while 42% of potential fans identified not knowing how to access the sport as the biggest barrier to participation.

Ultimately, 40% said they were "most interested" in experiencing the racetrack for themselves.

"I think we often miss that selling point," Bond said, of the way the sport is too often marketed as a game of gambling, rather than one geared around the horse.

"But the horses have a short career, usually, at the top level. That's why you've got to make the jockeys a focal point, and their love for the horses. And you make the trainers a focal point, and their love for the horses. Then you have the owners," said Bond.

"I don't know exactly what we need to do to launch this and take the industry to the next level, but we need to reinvent ourselves," said Bond. "As Jena [Antonucci] says, this is not your grandpa's sport. This is not your dad's sport. This is our sport. So, we have to do this now or we're going to miss the boat--we can't get any more obsolete."

Anyone looking to partner with The Heart of Horse Racing can contact Bond directly: theheartofhorseracing24@gmail.com

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HOOLIGANS HURL DEBRIS AT HORSES AND JOCKEYS; RACES ABANDONED AFTER DQ AT JAMAICA'S CAYMANAS PARK by T.D. Thornton

The "Heroes Day" program at Caymanas Park on the island of Jamaica had to be called off after the second race Oct. 21 when hooligan racegoers reacted violently to a controversial stewards' disqualification of an odds-on winner by upending garbage bins, hurling debris at horses and jockeys on the track and in the winner's circle, and blocking the tunnel between the paddock and the track.

"After an initial announcement that the third event was abandoned, the day's meet was officially called off by the stewards, citing safety concerns," the Jamaican news service *The Loop* reported.

The social media account of CVM-TV in Jamaica posted a series of videos of Monday's disturbance here.



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The Jamaica Racing Commission's general manager, Richard Longmore, told CVM-TV, "It's rather unfortunate that this occurred on a 'Heroes Day' race meet. The public was not very much in agreement [with the stewards' decision]." *Cont.*

Caymanas Park, cont.

"Some of our punters did not see where there was anything for the disqualification which led to the series of events that occurred....Eventually we saw the need, with the racing promoter, due to the safety and concerns in terms of what was happening, to abandon.

"One of the things we have noticed and what is a concern to us is that the betting public is very much a part of the fabric of our racing industry and we want to ensure that at all times our decisions are in alignment with international best practices. It is for that reason, we will be looking into the matter," Longmore said.

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AUERBACH LAUNCHES BLOODSTOCK CONSULTANCY HORSEPAUER

Harris Auerbach, a long-time Thoroughbred industry stakeholder who campaigned California's all-time leading sire Unusual Heat, is rolling out a new breeding and sales operation called HorsePAUER Enterprises, the owner of PAUER Consulting said in a release Tuesday.

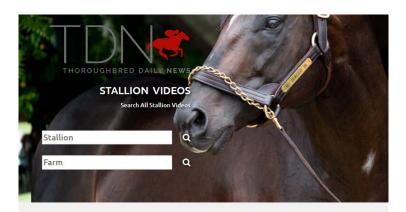
HorsePAUER will operate as a subsidiary of Auerbach's main company and offerings include stakeholder development, breeding stock portfolio management and bloodstock/matings consultations.

Auerbach launched PAUER Consulting earlier this year which brought together a wide array of services under the umbrella of strategy and special projects expertise. PAUER's clients include major universities, charitable organizations and other sport-related enterprises.

According to Auerbach, HorsePAUER will be onsite for Keeneland November and Fasig-Tipton's 'Night of the Stars' Breeding Stock Sale.

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<u>Hip</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Pedigree</u>	<u>Price</u>	Prev Sale	Buyer/Agent	Current Consignor
823	С	Oscar Performance-See Me Dance	\$25,000	KEESEP YLG 2024	Cliff Johnson	Dailey Bloodstock
828	С	Maclean's Music-Sengekontacket	\$105,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Mooresbridge Stable	Hunter Valley Farm
832	F	Basin-Seoul Gold	\$11,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Believe In Racing	Vinery Sales
834	F	Maximus Mischief-Seriously Silver	\$5,200	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Matt Owens	Highgate Sales
838	С	Classic Empire-Shanghai Truffles	\$28,000	FTKWNT MIX 2024	Next Gen	Paramount Sales
840	F	War of Will-Shebealittlewild	\$25,000	FTKWNT MIX 2024	LMB Farms	Paramount Sales
846	F	Code of Honor-She's All Skeet	\$10,500	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	J & L Stables	Double R Consignment
856	С	Silver State-Shotgun's Star	\$25,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Christopher Ramirez	Hunter Valley Farm
857	С	Good Magic-Show Me Mo	\$105,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Cavalier Bloodstock	Woods Edge Farm
858	F	Tiz the Law-Shrewdness (GB)	\$9,500	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	J & L Stables	Double R Consignment
861	С	Maximus Mischief-Silent Bond	\$20,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Foxbrook & Meah/Lloyd	Eaton Sales
864	С	Instilled Regard-Silky Rose	\$1,000	FT OCT DIGITAL 2024	Palmetto T'breds	Taylor Made Sales
880	С	Tapwrit-Skipalong	\$4,000	FTKWNT MIX 2024	Manuel Chavez	Buckland Sales
884	F	Instagrand-Sly Roxy	\$1,600	FT OCT DIGITAL 2024	Melissa Couture	Taylor Made Sales
885	С	Yaupon-Sly Warrior	\$160,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Winning Direction	Taylor Made Sales
897	С	Basin-Sobeautifultome	\$9,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Adriana Waldow	Four Star Sales
898	С	Runhappy-So Cunning	\$12,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Majed Alabdulkarim	Taylor Made Sales
909	F	Lexitonian-Soul of Hollywood	\$25,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Triple SSS Equine	Vinery Sales
912	С	Maxfield-Spanish Gold	\$75,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Mooresbridge Stable	Hunter Valley Farm
913	С	Instagrand-Sparkling Beauty	\$20,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Eliel Bloodstock	Warrendale Sales
914	С	Vino Rosso-Sparklingromance	\$92,000	FTKWNT MIX 2024	James Layden	Scott Mallory
915	С	Tacitus-Special Dream	\$17,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Triple SSS Equine	Vinery Sales
917	С	Constitution-Special Thanks	\$300,000	FTKWNT MIX 2024	Discovery Bay	Eaton Sales

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919	F	Game Winner-Speeding	\$15,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Majed Alabdulkarim	Highgate Sales
925	F	Known Agenda-Spun a Rose	\$8,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Rue Equine	Warrendale Sales
927	С	Knicks Go-Starry Rose	\$40,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Sand Hill	Taylor Made Sales
933	F	Twirling Candy-Stellium	\$25,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Short Run Stable	Hunter Valley Farm
942	F	Justify-Storm Raven	\$190,000	FTK FALL MIX 2023	Legacy Ranch	Warrendale Sales
955	F	Charlatan-Summersault	\$280,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Teddy Town T'breds	St George Sales
959	С	Into Mischief-Sunshiny Day	\$200,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	St. Francis T'breds	Eaton Sales
967	F	Authentic-Swak	\$90,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 2024	Pacific Bloodstock	Betz Thoroughbreds
980	F	Modernist-Swift Sword	\$1,500	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Everardo Martinez	Denali Stud
982	С	Known Agenda-Swinginfromarainbo	\$21,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Greendale Bloodstock	Lane's End
990	F	Flatter-Take Me to Hardoon	\$15,000	FTKWNT MIX 2024	III Beautys T'breds	Paramount Sales
1002	С	McKinzie-Tapped	\$40,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Bill Dory	Gainesway
1022	F	Upstart-Thepartyneverends	\$32,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Winning Direction	Taylor Made Sales
1030	F	Justify-Tiamaria	\$200,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Maggie Cove	Indian Creek
1032	F	Not This Time-Tigress Tale	\$250,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Dutton Peabody	Four Star Sales
1034	С	Justify-Timely	\$450,000	FTK FALL MIX 2023	AAA Thoroughbreds	Gainesway
1036	F	Curlin-Tin Type Gal	\$550,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	AAA Thoroughbreds	Taylor Made Sales
1039	С	Army Mule-Tiz Atlantis	\$60,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Winning Direction	Taylor Made Sales
1043	F	Yaupon-Tiz Imaginary	\$150,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Crestwood Farm	Pope McLean
1049	С	By My Standards-Tizzy Be Hot	\$5,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Clayton Hill	Highgate Sales
1060	С	Rock Your World-Tourist Trap	\$20,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	CJ Thoroughbreds	Legacy Bloodstock
1061	F	McKinzie-Town Beauty	\$62,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Winning Direction	Taylor Made Sales
1062	F	Upstart-Town Grad	\$60,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	D.J. Stable	Airdrie Stud
1065	F	Volatile-Trading Volume	\$21,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Foxbrook & Meah/Lloyd	Eaton Sales
1070	С	Charlatan-Treble	\$90,000	FTN NY-BRED YLG 2024	TA Bloodstock	Straight Line Equine
1077	F	Combatant-True Religion	\$7,000	FTKWNT MIX 2024	Walmac Farm	Gainesway
1078	F	Independence Hall-True Way of Grace	\$50,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Rachel Holden	Burleson Farms
1086	С	Complexity-Twirling Dancer	\$6,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Tollgate Farm	Machmer Hall Sales
1093	С	Galilean-Ultimate Shopper	\$11,500	FTN FALL MIXED 2023	4 x 4 Racing Stable	Vinery Sales
1100	С	Catalina Cruiser-Unfold the Rose	\$14,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	TA Bloodstock	Straight Line Equine
1101	С	Known Agenda-Union Prayer	\$9,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Forever Spring Farm	Vinery Sales
1106	F	Rock Your World-Up for Grabs	\$70,000	FTKSUM YLG 2024	Walking LT'breds/McPeek	Gainesway

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1111	F	Cross Traffic-Van Gogo Girl	\$8,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	LMB Stables	Legacy Bloodstock
1113	F	Upstart-Venkat	\$45,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Davant Latham	Paramount Sales
1121	F	Midnight Lute-Victoria's Hope	\$20,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Cal Rock	Eaton Sales
1128	С	Independence Hall-Wake Me Up	\$25,000	FTKWNT MIX 2024	Independence Farm	Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa
1137	С	Midshipman-Well	\$35,000	FTKWNT MIX 2024	Green Road Stable	Hunter Valley Farm
1139	С	Echo Town-Well Traveled	\$13,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Jeff Jeans/Mark Allen	Buckland Sales
1141	F	Preservationist-West Kentucky	\$2,700	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Cody Chambless	Cody Chambless
1153	F	Essential Quality-Wholelottashakin	\$60,000	KEESEP YLG 2024	Dorman Bloodstock	Taylor Made Sales
1156	F	Astern (Aus)-Wild About Harry	\$1,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Cody Chambliss	Cody Chambless
1157	С	Medaglia d'Oro-Wild Grace	\$70,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Sycamore Hall/D. Wade	Hunter Valley Farm
1158	С	Instagrand-Wild Success	\$22,000	FTKWNT MIX 2024	Kentucky River Racing	Summerfield
1159	С	Connect-Willet	\$3,200	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Cody Chambless	Cody Chambless
1161	С	Kitten's Joy-Window Shopper	\$40,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Rexy Bloodstock	Hill 'n' Dale at Xalapa
1164	С	Twirling Candy-Winsanity	\$75,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Bolter Bloodstock	Woods Edge Farm
1166	F	Munnings-With Dignity	\$210,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	AAA Thoroughbreds	Taylor Made Sales
1185	F	Complexity-Zippninthecity	\$40,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	Best A Luck Farm	Summerfield
1194	С	Connect-Accumulate	\$20,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	Chris Drakos	Milestone Farm
1199	С	Gift Box-A Cut Ahead	\$25,000	FTN FALL MIXED 2023	Cypresshead Racing	Paramount Sales
1204	С	Gift Box-Afterdinnerdrink	\$6,500	CTBA WNT MIX 2024	Kelly Yother Equine	Buckland Sales
1205	С	Collected-Agent of Fortune	\$4,000	KEENOV BRDG 2023	3 Amigo's Bloodstock	Darby Dan Farm
1207	F	Maclean's Music-Aguadilla	\$70,000	KEEJAN ALL AGES 2024	C & S Thoroughbreds	C & S Thoroughbreds







GRADED STAKES ENTRIES



Friday, Keeneland #9, post time: 5:16 p.m. EDT

BANK OF AMERICA VALLEY VIEW S.-GII, \$350,000, 3yo, f, 1mT

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Opera Mundi (Ire)	Kingman (GB)	Ecurie des Charmes	Walsh	Gaffalione	118
2	Poolside With Slim (Ire)	Churchill (Ire)	Glenn S. & Sandra Bromagen, II and Patrick Lewis	Arnold II	Dettori	118
3	Memorialize 🛪	Karakontie (Jpn)	Gainesway Stable	Motion	Franco	118
4	Les Reys (Fr)	Penny's Picnic (Ire)	West Point Thoroughbreds, Peter Leidel and	Clement	Prat	118
			Winters Equine, LLC			
5	Kalispera (Ire)	Ten Sovereigns (Ire)	William K. Werner	Lynch	Torres	118
6	Sakura Blossom 🛪	Classic Empire	California Racing Partners, Ciaglia Racing, LLC,	Powell	Geroux	118
			Kevin F. O'Donnell and Richard C. Pearson			
7	Pharoah's Wine	American Pharoah	William Pacella, Nancy Delony and Frank Shoop	Romans	Lanerie	118
8	Buttercream Babe 🖛	Twirling Candy	Three Diamonds Farm	Maker	Ortiz, Jr.	118
9	Dancing N Dixie	Neolithic	Gary Barber, Rocky Top Stable and LEMB Stables	Casse	Velazquez	118
10	Uphill Dance	Tonalist	Gary Barber, Cheyenne Stable and Wachtel Stable	Mott	Ortiz	118
11	Nice as Pie	Tapiture	Dede McGehee	Danner	Beschizza	118
12	Simply in Front 🖛	Summer Front	Colebrook Farms	Kenneally	Saez	118
13	Maxisuperfly 🖛	Optimizer	Maxis Stable, Foster Family Racing and Chris Vitale	Foster	Geroux	118
14	Whiskey Decision 🖛	Into Mischief	Frederick Hertrich, III and John D. Fielding	Delacour	Machado	118
15	Strike When Ready 🖛	More Than Ready	Merriebelle Stable, LLC	Correas IV	Ortiz	118
16	Kehoe Beach 🖛	Omaha Beach	Thomas W. Bachman	Ward	Velazquez	118

Breeders: 1-Ballylinch Stud & Ecurie Des Charmes, 2-Kilweelran Ltd, 3-Gainesway Thoroughbreds LTD., 4-Athanase Poulopoulos & Haras du Hoguenet, 5-Mrs Ann Marie O'Brien, 6-Small Batch Thoroughbreds & RobertFetkin, 7-Pacella Racing, Frank L. Jones & NancyDelony, Frank Shoop, 8-Repole Stable, Inc, 9-Freddie Hyatt, 10-Chet Blackey & Trackside Farm, 11-Dede McGehee, 12-William Harrigan & Mike Pietrangelo, 13-Calumet Farm, 14-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding, 15-LNJ Foxwoods, 16-John Bates, Ron Kirk & Michael Riordan

Saturday, Keeneland #8, post time: 4:44 p.m. EDT HAGYARD FAYETTE S.-GII, \$350,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Trademark 🛪	Upstart	BBN Racing, LLC	Oliver	Concepcion	122
2	Tumbarumba	Oscar Performance	Wathnan Racing	Lynch	Saez	122
3	Uno Mas Bourbon 🛪	Macho Uno	Bourbon Lane Stable and Six Column Stables, LLC	Wilkes	Arrieta	118
4	War Campaign	Declaration of War	Jerry Namy	Sims	Gaffalione	122
5	Bolzy	Gun Runner	Robert H. Zoellner	Von Hemel	Dettori	122
6	Rattle N Roll <a>**	Connect	Lucky Seven Stable	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	122
7	Heroic Move	Quality Road	Arnold Bennewith, Rick Wiest, Clayton Wiest,	Diodoro	Torres	122
			Lana Wiest and Randy Howg, et al.			
8	Hit Show	Candy Ride (Arg)	Wathnan Racing	Cox	Geroux	124
9	Grand Aspen	Dialed In	PRO Thoroughbreds Enterprises, LLC	Thomas	Ortiz	122
10	Howling Time 🖛	Not This Time	Dan Keller	Troiani	Morales	122

Breeders: 1-Brereton C. Jones, 2-Coteau Grove Farms, LLC, 3-T/C Stable, LLC, 4-Jerry Namy, 5-Robert H. Zoellner, 6-St. Simon Place, 7-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc., 8-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc., 9-PRO Thoroughbred Enterprises, 10-Springhouse Farm

Saturday, Belmont The Big A #10, post time: 4:51 p.m. EDT MOTHER GOOSE S.-GII, \$250,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Dorothy's Dreams 🛷	Always Dreaming	SJB Stable	Ferraro	Coa	120
2	Call Another Play	Audible	Johnson, R., Larry	Trombetta	Castellano	122
3	Tarifa	Bernardini	Godolphin, LLC	Cox	Prat	124
4	Pretty Ana	Quality Road	Three Chimneys Farm, LLC	Brown	Davis	120
5	Gun Song 🖛	Gun Runner	Lewis, R., Lee	Hennig	Velazquez	124
6	Life Talk 🛪	Gun Runner	Repole Stable	Pletcher	Carmouche	120
7	Headline Numbers 🛷	Gun Runner	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	120
8	Just Music	Audible	Rice, Linda	Rice	Cancel	120

Breeders: 1-WinStar Farm, LLC, 2-R. Larry Johnson, 3-Godolphin, 4-Three Chimneys Farm, LLC, 5-Marianne Stribling, 6-Gun Runner Syndicate, MulhollandSprings LLC & Tom Grether Farms Inc., 7-Alter's Racing Stables, Inc., 8-Mark Cohen

Saturday, Belmont The Big A #7, post time: 3:17 p.m. EDT

BOLD RULER S.-GIII, \$175,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Little Vic 🖛	Practical Joke	Victoria's Ranch	Avila	Carmouche	122
2	Top Gunner	Into Mischief	Dubb, Michael	Cox	Prat	124
3	Twenty Four Mamba 🖛	Classic Empire	PlayingTheField Racing, Final Turn Racing Stable,	Baker	Davis	122
			WLIR Racing Stables and Acqua Nova Stable			
4	Surveillance 🖛	Constitution	Photos Finish LLC	Potts	Lezcano	126
5	My Buddy B	Creative Cause	Hetrick, Krista, Nicole	Hetrick	Rivera, Jr.	124
6	Runninsonofagun 🖛	Gun Runner	Zimmerman, Karen, A.	Toscano, Jr.	Rosario	122
7	Scotland	Good Magic	LNJ Foxwoods	Mott	Ortiz, Jr.	122

Breeders: 1-Stride Sales and Syndicate, 2-Michael Talla, 3-Respite Farm, Inc, 4-Kendall E. Hansen, M.D. Racing, LLC, 5-Bonne Chance Farm LLC, 6-Dattt Farm LLC, 7-LNJ Foxwoods





Saturday, Belmont The Big A #8, post time: 3:49 p.m. EDT

FORTY NINER S.-GIII, \$250,000, 3yo/up, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Repo Rocks 🖛	Tapiture	Double B Racing Stables	Ness	Silvera	122
2	Messier 🖛	Empire Maker	SF Racing, Madaket Stables, Lansdon Robbins III,	Dutrow, Jr.	Gomez	126
			Tom Ryan, Robert Masterson, Jay A. Schoenfarber,			
			Waves Edge Capital LLC, Catherine Donovan,			
			Golconda Stable and Siena Farm LLC			
3	Stage Raider 🖛	Pioneerof the Nile	John D. Gunther	DeVaux	Velazquez	122
4	Jefferson Street	Street Sense	Godolphin, LLC	Mott	Prat	118
5	Winit 🖛	Tapit Whisper Hill Farm, LLC	Kimmel	Carmouche	122	
6	Nelson Avenue	Into Mischief	Photos Finish LLC	Potts	Davis	122
7	Coastal Mission	Great Notion	Jeff C. Runco	Runco	Bocachica	124
8	Film Star 🖛	Flatter	Ronald P. Stewart	Rice	Ortiz, Jr.	124

Breeders: 1-Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin III, 2-Sam-Son Farm, 3-John D. Gunther, 4-Godolphin, 5-Debby M. Oxley, 6-Godolphin, 7-Coleswood Farm, Inc., 8-Indian Creek & Mill Pond Bloodstock

Saturday, Keeneland #9, post time: 5:16 p.m. EDT BRYAN STATION S.-GIII, \$600,000, 3yo, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Neat 🛪	Constitution	Red, White and Blue Racing, LLC	Atras	Alvarado	122
2	Depiction 🖛	More Than Ready	Twin Brook Stables, Belladonna Racing,	DeVaux	Geroux	118
			Nice Guys Stables, West Point Thoroughbreds,			
			lapetus Racing, S. Hornstock, Runnels Racing,			
			Perrine Time Thoroughbreds, RTR Stables, et al.			
3	Herchee	Twirling Candy	100% Racing Stable, LLC	Pitts	Morales	118
4	My Boy Prince	Cairo Prince	Gary Barber	Casse	Ortiz	118
5	Demolisher	Dominus	Kenneth E. Ayres	Contreras	Esquivel	118
6	Brilliant Berti	Noble Mission (GB)	Klein Racing	DeVaux	Hernandez, Jr.	118
7	Lagynos 🛷	Kantharos	HRH Sultan Bin Mishal Al Saud	Asmussen	Torres	118
8	Mansa Musa (Ire)	Ten Sovereigns (Ire)	Team Valor International and Gary Barber	Mott	Saez	118
9	Evade (Fr)	Wootton Bassett (GB)	Resolute Racing and Qatar Racing	Maker	Gaffalione	118
10	Protective 🛪	Medaglia d'Oro	Repole Stable	Pletcher	Santana, Jr.	118
11	Trikari K	Oscar Performance	Amerman Racing Stables, LLC	Motion	Franco	122
12	Twirling Point	Twirling Candy	Augustin Stable	Thomas	Dettori	122
13	Goes the Clown 🖛	Mo Town	Gran Chanito Stable LLC	D'Angelo	Bravo	118
14	Call Protection <a>*	Good Samaritan	Jordan V. Wycoff	Maker	Santana, Jr.	118
15	Reminder 🛪	Audible	Tami Bobo	D'Angelo	Arrieta	118

Breeders: 1-Hidden Brook Farm & Spruce Lane Farm, 2-Helen K. Groves Revocable Trust, 3-100% Racing LLC, 4-Murray Graham Smith, 5-Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Ayres, 6-Klein Racing, 7-Robert Spiegel, 8-Middlelane Farm, 9-Ecurie Des Monceaux, Ecurie LoickFouchet, R. Meahjohn, Kastro Stud Farm, 10-Alpha Delta Stables, LLC, 11-Michael A Slezak & Amy Boll, 12-George Strawbridge Jr., 13-Wolf Creek Farm, 14-Kathryn Day & ThoroughBred byDesign, LLC, 15-Courtney L. Meagher





Sunday, Churchill Downs #10, post time: 5:25 p.m. EDT STREET SENSE S.-GIII, \$200,000, 2yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Big Much	Outwork	JoAnn and Alex Lieblong	Casse	Geroux	122
2	Bracket Buster 🛷	Vekoma	BBN Racing, LLC	Oliver	Concepcion	122
3	Baby Boat 🖛	Vino Rosso	Doubledown Stables, Inc.	DiVito	Corrales	122
4	Sandman	Tapit	D. J. Stable, LLC, St. Elias Stable,	Casse	Hernandez, Jr.	122
			West Point Thoroughbreds and CJ Stables			
5	Tiztastic 🛪	Tiz the Law	Winchell Thoroughbreds, LLC, Mrs. John Magnier,	Asmussen	Torres	122
			Michael B. Tabor and Derrick Smith			
6	Reach for the Rose	Audible	Kenneth L. Ramsey	Joseph, Jr.	Torres	122
7	Dapper Moon	Malibu Moon	Valene Farms, LLC	Stewart	Santana, Jr.	122
8	Comes a Time 🛪	Not This Time	Rupp Racing	Cox	Saez	122
9	Forged Steel	Vekoma	C2 Racing Stable, LLC and Mathis Stable, LLC	Joseph, Jr.	Gaffalione	122
10	Sovereignty	Into Mischief	Godolphin, LLC	Mott	Alvarado	122

Breeders: 1-Alex & Jo Ann Lieblong, 2-David Baxter, 3-Spendthrift Farm LLC, 4-Lothenbach Stables Inc, 5-Capital Bloodstock, 6-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 7-Coteau Grove Farms, LLC, 8-Not This Time Syndicate & AgricolaMatriarca SPA, 9-Richard E. Wilson, 10-Godolphin

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

6th-Parx Racing, \$57,800, Msw, 10-22, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:20.36, ft, 2 1/4 lengths.

VOLLEYBALLPRINCESS (f, 2, Mo Town--Prom Dress, by Stephen Got Even), overlooked at 13-1 in this debut run, stalked the dueling leaders from third. She raced in tight quarters in the stretch, and, after finding a path along the inside close to home, kicked on nicely to win going away by 2 1/4 lengths. Sales history: \$14,000 Wlg '22 KEENOV; \$14,000 RNA Ylg '23 KEESEP; \$17,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$30,000. Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by

O-Bran Jam Stable and Clark, David W.; B-Frank Batten (NC); T-Louis C. Linder, Jr.

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1st-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$32,000, Msw, 10-22, 2yo, 1m, 1:39.80, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

SOLO VENTURI (c, 2, Constitution--Solo Uno, by Medaglia d'Oro), a \$1.3-million KEESEP yearling, delivered on debut going



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two turns as the even-money favorite. He hopped at the start and raced in fifth beneath Irad Ortiz, Jr. through fractions of :25.05 and :49.22. He began to make his move while three wide on the far turn and kicked clear in the stretch to graduate by 2 1/2 lengths. The winner's dam produced a colt by Street Sense

in 2023 and a colt by Munnings this year. She was bred back to Life Is Good. Sales history: \$1,300,000 Ylg '23 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,200. Click for the Equibase.com chart. O-OXO Equine LLC; B-Kindred Stables, Inc (KY); T-William Walden.

THINK INDIAN CREEK



FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: WEDNESDAY, OCT. 23
2024 Stud Fees Listed

American Anthem (Bodemeister), Sierra Blanco Equine, \$3,000 24 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 1-Albuquerque, 8:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Shiny Shores, 20-1 1-Albuquerque, 8:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, W F American Cat, 5-1 \$25,000 RUI NMY yrl

Authentic (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, \$50,000 160 foals of racing age/15 winners/1 black-type winner 2-Horseshoe Turf Pick 3, 4:14 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Incredible, 12-1

\$210,000 FTS AUG yrl

\$27,000 RNA OBS OCT yrl

2-Horseshoe Turf Pick 3, 4:14 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Porches, 5-1 \$500,000 KEE SEP yrl

Caracaro (Uncle Mo), Crestwood Farm, \$6,500 49 foals of racing age/6 winners/1 black-type winner 8-Keeneland, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Disclaimer, 12-1 \$10,000 KEE JAN wnl; \$40,000 FTK JUL yrl; \$110,000 OBS MAR 2yo

Complexity (Maclean's Music), Airdrie Stud, \$12,500 121 foals of racing age/17 winners/3 black-type winners 9-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 6:18 p.m. EDT, Alw 6f, Swiftwind, 8-1 \$50,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$95,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo

Curlin's Honor (Curlin), Pleasant Acres Stallions, \$2,500 38 foals of racing age/3 winners/1 black-type winner 6-Presque Isle Downs, 5:15 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Carroll's Honor, 4-1 **Global Campaign** (Curlin), WinStar Farm, \$12,500 123 foals of racing age/12 winners/0 black-type winners 8-Keeneland, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Campaign Trail, 20-1 \$27,000 FTK OCT yrl; \$115,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Higher Power (Medaglia d'Oro), Darby Dan Farm, \$10,000 92 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners 6-Presque Isle Downs, 5:15 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Make a Million, 7-5

\$40,000 FTK OCT yrl

5-Finger Lakes, 3:11 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Powmissio, 8-1 \$55,000 FTK OCT yrl

McKinzie (Street Sense), Gainesway Farm, \$30,000 171 foals of racing age/15 winners/2 black-type winners 8-Keeneland, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Harvest n'Hearth, 15-1 \$285,000 KEE SEP yrl

Rowayton (Into Mischief), Taylor Made Farm, \$7,500 30 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Penn National, 6:15 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Fifty Nine Fifty, 12-1

Runaway Ghost (Ghostzapper), Double LL Farms, \$2,500 26 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners 1-Albuquerque, 8:05 p.m. EDT, Msw 6f, Short Round Bound, 9-2 \$10,000 RUI NMY yrl

Tank Commander (War Front)

6 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 2-Remington, 7:59 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, General Jimbo, 4-1

Thousand Words (Pioneerof the Nile), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000 124 foals of racing age/15 winners/2 black-type winners 9-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 6:18 p.m. EDT, Alw 6f, Word Game, 8-1



Tiz Mischief (Into Mischief), Solitude Thoroughbreds, \$3,000 6 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 5-Remington, 9:26 p.m. EDT, Msw 7 1/2fT, Notime Formischief, 12-1 \$4,500 RNA TTA YRL yrl

Tiz the Law (Constitution), Coolmore Ashford, \$20,000 98 foals of racing age/17 winners/4 black-type winners 1-Penn National, 6:15 p.m. EDT, Msw 5f, Quercus, 4-1

Volatile (Violence), Three Chimneys Farm, \$15,000
125 foals of racing age/15 winners/0 black-type winners
8-Keeneland, 4:44 p.m. EDT, Msw 6 1/2f, Faust, 6-1
\$59,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$240,000 RNA OBS MAR 2yo
5-Finger Lakes, 3:11 p.m. EDT, Msw 1m, Giant Impact, 7-2
\$32,000 RNA SAR AUG yrl
2-Horseshoe Turf Pick 3, 4:14 p.m. EDT, Msw 1mT, Two Dollars, 9-2
\$100,000 KEE SEP yrl; \$47,000 RNA EAS MAY 2yo

War of Will (War Front), Claiborne Farm, \$25,000 113 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners 3-Presque Isle Downs, 3:54 p.m. EDT, Aoc 6f, Streets of War, 9-2 \$140,000 FTK NOV wnl; \$8,000 OBS APR 2yo

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: WEDNESDAY, OCT. 23 2024 Stud Fees Listed

Maximus Mischief (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, \$25,000 232 foals of racing age/80 winners/8 black-type winners 10-Horseshoe Indianapolis, 6:49 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Gus and Woodrow, 20-1 \$40,000 RNA IND MIX yrl

Pass the Buck (Pulpit), Westwin Farms, \$1,500 25 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners 3-Remington, 8:28 p.m. EDT, Msw 5 1/2f, Juju Girl, 12-1





STAKES RESULTS:

CLASICO WISO G S., \$47,263, Camarero, 10-20, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:55.53, ft.

- 1--DON CHEO, 120, c, 4, Don Paco--Metro Gal, by Afleet Alex. O-Guillermo Berrios; B-Potrero Los Llanos Inc. (PR); T-Samuel Diaz; J-Juan C. Diaz. \$29,162. Lifetime Record: Ch. 2yo & 3yo Colt-PR, 25-15-7-2, \$336,050. *1/2 to Centinela (Console), MSW-PR, \$145,387.
- 2--Rey Yair, 120, c, 4, Get Rich Quick--Tiago's Donna, by Tiago. O-Establo Vuelve Ruben M.; B-Hacienda Los Nietos, Inc. (PR); T-Raymond Morales. \$10,056.
- 3--Emanuel My Son, 120, c, 4, Watershed--Gold Dance, by English Channel. 1ST BLACK TYPE. O-Antonio Llavona; B-Potrero Los Llanos Inc. (PR); T-Jason Lisboa. \$5,028. Margins: 2, 1 3/4, NO. Odds: 0.35, 3.15, 7.85.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-Parx Racing, \$65,680, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 10-22, 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:42.16, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

BARTLETT (g, 3, Not This Time--Brilliant Sunshine {MSP, \$185,550}, by Smarty Jones) Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-1, \$144,380. O-Newell Thoroughbred; B-Newell Thoroughbreds, Ltd (PA); T-John C. Servis. *1/2 to Precious (Fed Biz), MSW, \$301,250; 1/2 to Pachelbel (Hoppertunity), MSP, \$207,240.

5th-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$41,000, (S), 10-22, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.90, ft, 1 length.

I MADE IT (f, 3, Baryshnikov--C J's Sunrise, by Artemus Sunrise) Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-1, \$73,358. O/B-Blaine Davidson (IN); T-Stephen V. Fosdick.

2nd-Horseshoe Indianapolis, \$34,000, 10-22, (NW2L), 2yo, 6f, 1:11.25, ft, 8 lengths.

COMPLEX MUSIC (c, 2, Complexity--Auspiciously, by Malibu Moon) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$75,630. O-Mike McCarty; B-Haymarket Farm LLC (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen. *\$35,000 RNA Ylg '23 FTKJUL; \$62,000 Ylg '23 FTKOCT; \$110,000 2yo '24 OBSMAR.

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6th-Mahoning Valley, \$26,400, 10-22, (C), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.62, ft, 5 3/4 lengths.

ROCKSTAR RO (g, 6, Gemologist--Runfor Ro {GSP-Can, SP-USA,

\$211,042}, by Afleet Alex) Lifetime Record: 48-10-8-8, \$297,146. O-Lion Palm Racing Stable; B-Rajendra Maharajh (KY); T-Ricardo Bailey.

7th-Mahoning Valley, \$25,900, 10-22, (NW2L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:13.15, ft, neck.

HUB (g, 3, Mitole--Hug Me Tight, by With Distinction) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$50,480. O-Burnsworth, Richard, Super C Racing Inc. & Sturgeon, Bobby T.; B-Richard E. Wilson (KY); T-Anthony Farrior. *\$50,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$300,000 2yo '23 OBSMAR.

2nd-Mahoning Valley, \$25,900, 10-22, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13.01, ft, 3/4 length.

VEGAS LOVE (f, 3, Cupid--March to Glory, by Marchfield)
Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$25,926. O-Aldabbagh, Omar, Ganje,
Jeff and Doyle, Cheryl; B-Reggie & Tim Beeson (KY); T-William E.
Morey. *\$30,000 Ylg '22 FTKFEB.

3rd-Finger Lakes, \$25,800, 10-22, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.81, ft, 8 1/4 lengths.

FABULOUS FOX (f, 3, Nyquist--Edith Court, by Pomeroy)
Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-2, \$92,170. O-Barry R. Ostrager;
B-Jonathan Thorne (NY); T-Linda K. Dixon. *\$270,000 Ylg '22
SARAUG. **1/2 to White Chocolate (City of Light), SP, \$181,350.

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1st-Finger Lakes, \$25,320, 10-22, (C), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.34, ft, 5 1/2 lengths.

GOODNIGHTNGODBLESS (f, 3, Enticed--J and J O'Shea, by Sky Mesa) Lifetime Record: 14-4-5-0, \$128,391. O-Braverman, Paul & Pinch, Timothy; B-Paul Braverman (ON); T-Karl M. Grusmark. *\$27,000 Wlg '21 KEENOV; \$42,000 Ylg '22 FTKOCT.

THINK INDIAN CREEK

2nd-Camarero, \$24,500, 10-20, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:52.02, ft. **SAVOY (g, 6, Honor Code--Secret Ballot, by Courageous Cat)** Lifetime Record: SP, 42-15-4-4, \$290,069. O-D C Racing; B-W. S. Farish, BCWT, Ltd. & Inwood Stable (KY); T-Daniel Encarnacion. *\$160,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP.



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8th-Finger Lakes, \$24,172, 10-22, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:41.90, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

GOING HOME NOW (m, 5, Texas Red--Miss Dragon Lady, by Victory Gallop) Lifetime Record: 10-2-3-3, \$55,662. O/T-Judy E. Turetsky; B-Anthony M Rucereto III & Yvonne Cenicola (KY).

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8th-Fort Erie, C\$18,879, 10-22, (NW3L), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10.73, ft, 3 lengths.

HEAT MERCHANT (g, 5, Kobe's Back--Red Velvet {SW, \$132,280}, by City Zip) Lifetime Record: 23-3-6-2, \$111,515. O-Kowloon Tong Racing Stable, Inc.; B-CRK Stables, LLC (KY); T-Pat Parente. *\$4,500 Ylg '20 KEESEP. **1/2 to Excellorator (Orb), MSP, \$457,070.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Chill Boss, g, 2, Street Boss--Holiday Chills, by Harlan's Holiday. Presque Isle Downs, 10-22, (S), 6f (AWT), 1:11.14. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$18,525. B-Horseshoe Valley Equine Center LLC (PA). *1/2 to Chilly Start (Jump Start), SP, \$335,711; Chilly in Charge (Take Charge Indy), SW, \$296,289.



Turk and Wendy, c, 2, The Factor--Scoop of Gold, by Giant's Causeway. Presque Isle Downs, 10-22, 6f (AWT), 1:11.07. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$30,000. B-Cornerstone Thoroughbreds LLC (KY). *\$47,000 Ylg '23 KEEJAN; \$95,000 RNA 2yo '24 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Medea (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), GSW, \$264,845.

THINK INDIAN CREEK

Queen Atlas, f, 2, War Dancer--Queenardini, by Bernardini. Finger Lakes, 10-22, 6f, 1:14.27. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,560. B-Bella Cavello Stables LLC, Horseshoe Equine Center & Peter Edwards (NY). *1ST-TIME STARTER. **Won by 6 1/4 lengths.

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Busk, g, 3, Candy Ride (Arg)--Puskita (MSP), by Indian Charlie. Presque Isle Downs, 10-22, 6f (AWT), 1:09.39. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$24,000. B-Buck Pond Farm & John Wilmot (KY). *\$140,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTSAUG; \$39,000 RNA Ylg '22 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Apache Princess (Unusual Heat), GSW, \$315,862. ***Won by 7 1/4 lengths.

Fort Grande, g, 3, **Fort Larned**--Rain Forest, by Exchange Rate. Mahoning Valley, 10-22, (S), 6f, 1:14.68. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$30,945. B-Jon Matthew Engstrom (OH).

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Candy Ride (Arg), Busk, g, 3, o/o Puskita, by Indian Charlie. MSW, 10-22, Presque Isle Downs

Complexity, Complex Music, c, 2, o/o Auspiciously, by Malibu Moon. ALW, 10-22, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Constitution, Solo Venturi, c, 2, o/o Solo Uno, by Medaglia d'Oro. MSW, 10-22, Horseshoe Indianapolis

Cupid, Vegas Love, f, 3, o/o March to Glory, by Marchfield. ALW, 10-22, Mahoning Valley

Don Paco, Don Cheo, c, 4, o/o Metro Gal, by Afleet Alex. Gl Clasico Wiso G S., 10-20, Camarero

Enticed, Goodnightngodbless, f, 3, o/o J and J O'Shea, by Sky Mesa. ALW, 10-22, Finger Lakes

Fort Larned, Fort Grande, g, 3, o/o Rain Forest, by Exchange Rate. MSW, 10-22, Mahoning Valley

Gemologist, Rockstar Ro, g, 6, o/o Runfor Ro, by Afleet Alex. ALW, 10-22, Mahoning Valley

Honor Code, Savoy, g, 6, o/o Secret Ballot, by Courageous Cat. ALW, 10-20, Camarero

Kobe's Back, Heat Merchant, g, 5, o/o Red Velvet, by City Zip. ALW, 10-22, Fort Erie

Mitole, Hub, g, 3, o/o Hug Me Tight, by With Distinction. ALW, 10-22, Mahoning Valley

Mo Town, Volleyballprincess, f, 2, o/o Prom Dress, by Stephen Got Even. MSW, 10-22, Parx Racing

Not This Time, Bartlett, g, 3, o/o Brilliant Sunshine, by Smarty Jones. AOC, 10-22, Parx Racing

Nyquist, Fabulous Fox, f, 3, o/o Edith Court, by Pomeroy. ALW, 10-22, Finger Lakes

Street Boss, Chill Boss, g, 2, o/o Holiday Chills, by Harlan's Holiday. MSW, 10-22, Presque Isle Downs

Texas Red, Going Home Now, m, 5, o/o Miss Dragon Lady, by Victory Gallop. ALW, 10-22, Finger Lakes

The Factor, Turk and Wendy, c, 2, o/o Scoop of Gold, by Giant's Causeway. MSW, 10-22, Presque Isle Downs

War Dancer, Queen Atlas, f, 2, o/o Queenardini, by Bernardini. MSW, 10-22, Finger Lakes



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500K KINGMAN AND NIGHT OF THUNDER COLTS LEAD THE WAY AT ARQANA OCTOBER



Paddy Twomey signs for lot 13, a son of Kingman and one of the €500,000 co-toppers | Zuzanna Lupa

by Alix Choppin

While torrential rain had poured over Deauville in the last few days, a late summer atmosphere floated around the Arqana sales complex when the first lot made its way through the ring for the October Yearling Sale. In the wake of buoyant renewals of the Tattersalls October Book 1 and Book 2 sessions, the opening day set new records for both average and median price, at $\[\in \]$ 104,882 (+15%) and $\[\in \]$ 73,500 (+5%), respectively. Eighty-six percent of the 197 yearlings on offer changed hands, a 4% increase from a year ago, and they grossed a combined $\[\in \]$ 17,830,000, up 11%.

Such whopping figures owed a lot to the impressive rise in the number of horses to command \in 300,000 or above. Only three achieved this feat in 2023 while there were 10 of them this year, headed by a pair of colts who were knocked down for \in 500,000 apiece.

Lot 13, a brown son of Kingman (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) from the draft of Andreas Putsch's Haras de Saint-Pair, caused an early stir when reaching the half-million mark on a bid from Jason Kelly and Paddy Twomey. Cont. p3

RETURN OF MARES SHOWS A SIX PERCENT DECREASE IN THE FOAL CROP OF 2024

This year has seen a 6% decrease in the number of live foals registered to date in the General Stud Book, according to the *Return of Mares*, which has been published by Weatherbys. The returns to September 30, 2024 show that a total of 12,578 foals have been born in Britain and Ireland, 840 fewer than the 2023 figure of 13,438.

It marks the first time in the last decade that the overall foal crop has fallen by more than 4% from one year to the next. The 6% drop is consistent both in Britain, where the number of live foals has decreased to 4,074 (from 4,356), and in Ireland, where the reported figure is 8,504 (from 9,082). Britain had previously noticed the most significant decline during Covid when the number of live foals fell from 4,655 in 2019 to 4,236 in 2020, a decrease of 9%. Cont. p7

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CURLIN COLT SHOWS THE WAY AT FASIG-TIPTON OCTOBER

During the second day of the Fasig-Tipton Kentucky October Yearling Sale, a son of Curlin topped proceedings at \$550,000.



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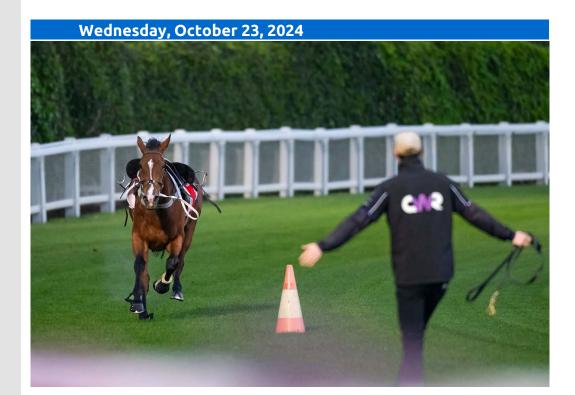
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Chris Waller's star mare Via Sistina (Fastnet Rock) had a scare at Tuesday's Breakfast With The Stars when her bandage unraveled and she dislodged James McDonald. Thankfully, both the horse and jockey were fine. Waller updated his social media following later in the day with this video. See page 19 for more. | Bronwen Healy

8 JOHNE MURPHY RIDING HIGH WITH SIGH NO MORE

The former Munster Rugby player, who operates Stride Racing, will send his Group 3-winning filly to the Tattersalls December Mares Sale.

9 | WHIRL WINS STAFFORDSTOWN

The Wootton Bassett (GB) filly prevailed in the G3 Staffordstown Stud Stakes at the Curragh.

19 | JUSTIFY POPULAR AT GOLD COAST HIT SALE

Justify sired the top two lots at the Magic Millions Gold Coast HIT Sale.

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His dam Via Pisa (Fr) (Pivotal {GB}) was a great colourbearer for Saint-Pair, winning a duo of Listed races and running third in the G1 Premio Lydia Tesio under the care of Freddy Head.

"He is for an existing client, said Twomey, who successfully transitioned from pinhooking and breeze-up consigning to full-time training in 2016. "I am delighted to have been able to buy this magnificent colt from a very good farm."

Twomey has been in a fine position to assess the quality of Haras de Saint-Pair's stock as his best horse to date, the G1 Matron Stakes heroine Pearls Galore (Fr) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), was a homebred of Putsch's operation. The granddaughter of Saint-Pair's foundation mare Pearly Shells (GB) (Efisio {GB}) was sent to Twomey on the back of her 2-year-old campaign where she was unplaced in two starts for Freddy Head. She won seven of her 13 starts for Twomey including a couple of Group 3 events, the G2 Lanwades Stud Stakes and also took second in the G1 Prix de la Forêt and Matron Stakes.

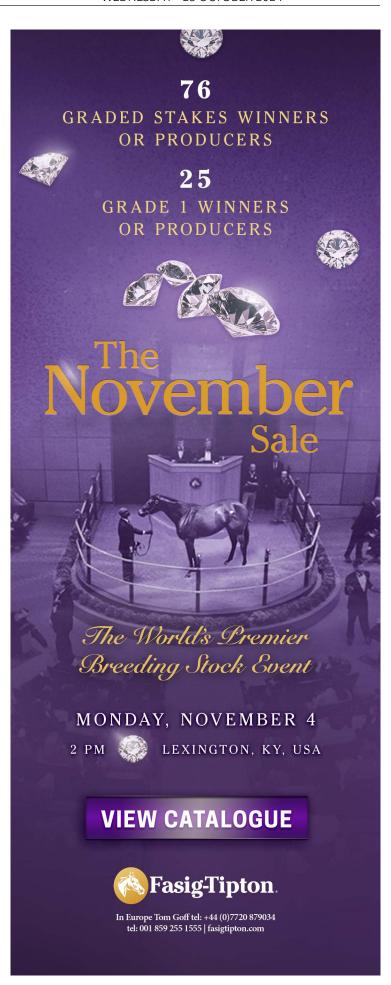
Pearls Galore was beaten by Godolphin's Space Blues (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}) on two occasions, in the Group 1 Prix de la Forêt, where the mare had two lengths to find in second, and a month later in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile at Del Mar, where she was beaten three lengths in sixth. Understandably Putsch was keen to support the new Kildangan Stud resident, and that decision was handsomely rewarded when lot 17, the first foal out of Wismar (Ger) (Soldier Hollow {GB}), a Group 3 performer in Germany, commanded €420,000 from Ross Doyle.

"He is a great physical, the agent said. We saw him three or four times and liked him every time. I've been very taken by the Space Blues, we bought a few at this year's yearling sales. This one is for Stall Perlen and will go into training with Pia Brandt."

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Lot 13 in the ring | Zuzanna Lupa





Lot: 22 B Filly Victor Ludorum / Alakhana Consignor: Haras d'Ombreville Price: €420,000



Lot: 51 B Filly Too Darn Hot / Djumama Consignor: Haras d'Ombreville Price: 190,000 gns



Lot: 85 Ch Colt Space Blues / Ivirka Consignor: Haras de la Louvière Price: 320,000 gns

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Chappet & Moran Aiming For Victory

The same price tag was achieved minutes later by another first-crop stallion who did his racing in the Godolphin colours. Victor Ludorum (GB) (Shamardal) stood at Julian Ince's Haras du Logis when lot 22 was conceived, but the Group 1-winning juvenile has now been relocated to Haras d'Etreham. The half-brother to classy three-year-old Jayarebe (Fr) (Zoffany {Ire}), who only found Economics (GB) (Night Of Thunder {Ire}) too good in the G2 Prix Guillaume d'Ornano and won the G2 Prix Dollar on Arc weekend after the catalogue was printed, was knocked down to trainer Fabrice Chappet and owner Jean-Christophe Moran.



Fabrice Chappet (I) and Jean-Christophe Moran | Zuzanna Lupa

Moran's first ever thoroughbred purchase came in the same ring only five months ago when he spent €400,000 on a Too Darn Hot (GB) filly at the Arqana Breeze-Up Sale. Named Morena Queen (Ire), she opened her account at third asking last month and is entered in the G3 Prix Eclipse at Chantilly next Saturday.

"I used to race trotters and was keen to try thoroughbreds," said Moran after signing for the Haras d'Ombreville offering.

"This yearling is by a young sire but he has great balance. His brother is very talented and was only beaten by Economics on his penultimate start. I have great confidence in Fabrice Chappet who is a very competent trainer."

The son of Victor Ludorum and stakes winner Alakhana (Fr) (Dalakhani {Ire}) was bred by Oliver Pawle, a long-time member of the Thurloe Thoroughbreds syndicates who branched out as a breeder in his own name. Pawle sent a few broodmares to Céline Gualde's Ecurie Cap Orne and the first of the resulting foals with a career on the Flat in mind was Jayarebe.

Barberot Finds A Night To His Liking

Deauville-based trainer Yann Barberot is becoming increasingly prominent in Group races in France and beyond, as exemplified by the consistent Beauvatier (Fr) (Lope de Vega {Ire}) who caught the eye when third to Ramatuelle (Justify) in the G1 Prix de la Forêt and was only beaten half-a length in fourth in the G1 QIPCO British Champions Sprint Stakes. And he certainly made his presence felt around the sales ring when offering half a million for a Night Of Thunder (Ire) colt (lot 153), the first foal out of Listed performer Paramount (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}). Bred by Ecurie des Monceaux, Paramount was purchased by Prime Equestrian for €140,000 at the 2017 Arqana August Yearling Sale and retired to their Haras du Mont dit Mont at the end of her racing career. It was the second-highest price ever achieved by a yearling offered by Mont dit Mont.

"I have bought him for a new client," said Barberot, who spent €1,085,000 on five yearlings overall, filling the runner-up spot in the buyers' standings. "He was my pick of the sale."

Kinane Strikes For Wootton Bassett Colt

Wootton Bassett (GB) has enjoyed another stellar season on the track thanks to the likes of Group 1 horses Camille Pissarro (Ire), Al Riffa (Fr), Henri Matisse (Ire) and unbeaten Group-winning juvenile and 'TDN Rising Star' Maranoa Charlie (Fr) among others. His yearlings commanded up to 4.3 million guineas at Tattersalls earlier this month and demand showed no signs of abating in Deauville. Mick Kinane went to €400,000 for lot 52, a colt out of a winning daughter of Oaks runner up Wonder Of Wonders (Kingmambo) offered by La Motteraye Consignment.

"He was a nice colt, but expensive," said the Hong Kong Jockey Club international bloodstock advisor. **Cont. p5**



Mick Kinane | Zuzanna Lupa

Argana October Cont.

He added, "I've been trying to find Wootton Bassetts in the last few weeks but the market was very strong, so I am very happy to get him. Hopefully he can repay on the track. We're looking for sound horses for Hong Kong. We need to pre-train them and sell them on at auction so it's a long way and a big gamble, but it's a service that the Hong Kong Jockey Club wants to be able to provide to its members. Anything that I got from Arqana seems to have made it to Hong Kong and raced so I'm always here trying to find more horses."

Mission Passible For McStay



Paddy Twomey (I) and Mark McStay | Zuzanna Lupa

Later in the afternoon, a filly by the same sire out of Group 2 Prix de Sandringham heroine Mission Impassible (Ire (Galileo {Ire}) (lot 129) was knocked down to Mark McStay of Avenue Bloodstock, standing alongside Paddy Twomey, for €360,000.

"She is a beautiful filly who was immaculately presented by Etreham," said McStay. "Obviously, Wootton Bassett needs no introduction; he's had another brilliant season and is a brilliant sire of fillies. The mare was a superb mare, she won a Sandringham and was second in a Group 1.

"She's been purchased to go into training with Paddy Twomey for a couple of existing clients. Steve and Debbi Weston's Parkland Thoroughbreds in Florida--they are part owners of Porta Fortuna and [Steve is] a very lucky man--they've taken a piece of her along with an Irish client of mine. Let's hope she's lucky for Paddy. She's a lovely filly, she was the one we really wanted to buy and we had to dig a bit deeper to get her. She's got the pedigree, she's got the sire, she's got the physique. A lot of the lads were after her and we're delighted to get her."

Monceaux On Top Again

Ecurie des Monceaux topped four out of the last five renewals

of this session and this year made no exception, with their 26 offerings bringing a combined €3,140,000. A daughter of Dark Angel (Ire) out of the stakes-winning mare Easter Lily (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) (lot 53) was notably knocked down for €300,000 to Trevor Harris's One Agency, while a filly by Sea The Stars (Ire) out of White Satin Dancer (Ger) (Oasis Dream {GB}) (lot 16) sold for €380,000 to Anthony Stroud who was seated next to Jane Chapple-Hyam and Peter Harris. The trio made the headlines this year courtesy of Mill Stream (Ire) (Gleneagles {Ire}), a 350,000 guineas purchase at Tattersalls who went on to win the July Cup Group 1.

"She is a gorgeous filly from a very good farm," Stroud commented. "Her 2-year-old brother made a nice debut. She is going to Jane Chapple-Hyam."

The sibling in question is a son of Wootton Bassett and commanded €720,000 from MV Magnier at last year's Arqana August Yearling Sale. Named First Wave (Fr), he was only beaten a neck on his first racecourse appearance for Aidan O'Brien, October 5, and the winner Expanded (Ire) (Wootton Bassett {GB}), went on to take a close second in the G1 Dewhurst Stakes.

Stroud also signed at €320,000 for a Space Blues half-brother to Group 3 victress Elounda Queen (Ire) (Australia {GB}) from the late Lady O'Reilly's Haras de la Louvière (lot 85) and ended the day as leading buyer with a shopping list of seven horses for a total €1,770,000.

Another farm to enjoy a successful day was Mathieu and Solenn Gouesnard's Haras d'Ombreville, who in addition to the aforementioned Victor Ludorum colt sold a son of Dark Angel bred by Rashit Shaykhutdinov for €320,000 to Federico Barberini (lot 193).

"He was a lovely horse who will stay in France to be trained by Francis Graffard for Sheikh Ahmed Al Maktoum," the agent said. He is by a very hot sire and a lovely individual." Cont. p6



Anthony Stroud | Zuzanna Lupa



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SESSION TOTALS	2024	2023
 Catalogued 	208	228
 Number Offered 	197	207
Number Sold	170	171
Not Sold	27	36
Clearance Rate	86.3%	82.6%
• No. 500K+	2	0
High Price	€500,000	€420,000
• Gross	€17,830,000 (+11%)	€15,631,000
 Average (% change) 	€104,882 (+14.7%)	€91,409
Median (% change)	€73,500 (+5%)	€70,000

Pinhooking Fortunes On Tuesday

Of the 208 horses catalogued during Tuesday's session, 12 were pinhooks, and all lots visited the ring. One lot did not meet its reserve and was a buy-back, leaving 11 yearlings marked as sold. Of the latter group, nine made a profit ranging from $\[\in \]$ 14,000 to $\[\in \]$ 200,500.

Two lots lost money. The 11 pinhooks marked as sold were acquired for \in 776,200 as foals and made \in 1,160,000 on Tuesday representing a 44.3% return.

We have multiplied the price of the foal by 1.1 and added a running cost of 12,000gns (for foals bought in guineas), £12,500 (for foals bought in pounds) or €15,000 (for foals bought in euros) for keep, feed, veterinary, shoeing, sales prep and sales entry fees. Depending on whether someone has their own farm, or where they choose to board a horse, will obviously mean that costs for each individual can vary significantly.

It is worth noting that sometimes a horse can appear to be bought and sold by different names but have actually not changed ownership at all.

The sales runs until Saturday with parts two and three of the catalogue. Sessions will begin at 2 p.m. daily, barring Saturday, Oct. 26, which begins at 11 a.m.

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ARQANA OCTOBER YEARLING SALE DAY 1 TOP 10 LOTS

Lot Sire | Dam

<u>Price(€)</u>

13 c, Kingman (GB)--Via Pisa (Fr)

500,000

Bred by Haras de Saint Pair (GB)
Consigned by Haras de Saint Pair
Purchased by Jason Kelly Bloodstock/Paddy Twomey

153 c, Night Of Thunder (Ire)--Paramount (Fr)

500,000

Bred by Haras du Mont dit Mont (Ire) Consigned by Haras du Mont dit Mont Purchased by Societe d'Entrainement Yann Barberot

17 c, Space Blues (Ire)--Wismar (Ger)

420,000

(€110,000 i/u '22 ARQDEC)

Bred by N/A (Fr)

Consigned by Haras de Saint Pair

Purchased by Peter & Ross Doyle Bloodstock, Ltd.

22 c, Victor Ludorum (GB)--Alakhana (Fr)

420,000

Bred by Oliver Pawle (Fr)
Consigned by Haras d'Ombreville
Purchased by Fabrice Chappet/J. Moran

52 c, Wootton Bassett (GB)--Dramatically

400,000

Bred by Dramatically Syndicate (Ire) Consigned by La Motteraye Consignment Purchased by Michael Kinane

16 f, Sea The Stars (Ire)--White Satin Dancer (Ger) 380,000

Bred by Ecurie des Monceaux, Sunderland Holding, Inc.,

B. van Huysteen & Les Amis du Musee (Fr)

Consigned by Ecurie des Monceaux Purchased by Stroud Coleman Bloodstock, Ltd.

129 f, Wootton Bassett (GB)--Mission Impassible (Ire) 360,000

Bred by Haras d'Etreham, Riviera Equine SARL &

Gestut Zur Kuste AG (Fr)

Consigned by Haras d'Etreham

Purchased by Avenue Bloodstock/Park Land/Paddy Twomey

Toppers Cont.

85 c, Space Blues (Ire)--Ivirka (Fr) (€95,000 RNA Wlg '23 ARQDEC) Bred by Skymarc Farm & SCEA Marmion (Fr) Consigned by Haras de la Louviere Purchased by Stroud Coleman Bloodstock, Ltd.

193 c, Dark Angel (Ire)--Sierchik (Ire) Bred by Rashit Shaykhutdinov (Fr) Consigned by Haras d'Ombreville Purchased by Federico Barberini

53 f, Dark Angel (Ire)--Easter Lily (Ire)

Bred by China Horse Club International (Fr)

Consigned by Ecurie des Monceaux

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In total, 15,983 coverings have been recorded in Britain and Ireland in 2024, a 14% drop compared to the 2023 figure of 18,572. Of the 21,578 broodmares reported at stud, 2,205 were not covered. There were 5,759 no returns and a total of 220 were barren.

Meanwhile, the 165 stallions recorded in Ireland this year is a decrease of 19 from 2023, while the number fell in Britain by 10 to 103.

Top-class stayer Order Of St George (Ire) was the busiest stallion at stud in Britain and Ireland as he covered 311 mares from his base at Coolmore's Castlehyde Stud in County Cork, while another Coolmore inmate, Calyx (GB), was the busiest Flat stallion on 273.

Good Guess (GB), a newcomer to Tally-Ho Stud for 2024, headed the remainder on 250, while Sioux Nation (246), Mehmas (Ire) (244), Wootton Bassett (GB) (223) and Phoenix Of Spain (Ire) (217) were the other Flat stallions who covered at least 200 mares.

Dark Angel (Ire), who is on his way to being crowned champion sire for the first time in 2024, covered a book of 134 mares at Yeomanstown Stud, including the Oaks winner Qualify (Ire) and the Kodiac (GB) mare Bear Cheek (Ire), the dam of his Group 3-winning sprinter My Mate Alfie (Ire).

Reigning champion sire Frankel (GB) covered another star-studded book of 192 mares at Banstead Manor Stud, including Group 1 winners and producers such as Dar Re Mi (GB), Mecca's Angel (Ire) and Quiet Reflection (GB), who is responsible for this year's leading two-year-old filly by Frankel, Lake Victoria (Ire).

The dams of Frankel's fellow top-level winners Courage Mon



Order Of St George was the busiest stallion at stud in Britain and Ireland in 2024 | Weatherbys

Ami (GB), Hurricane Lane (Ire), Inspiral (GB) and Nashwa (GB) also paid return visits, and so too did Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum's blue hen Reem Three (GB), the dam of Triple Time (Ire) by the Juddmonte stallion.

Now 22, Dubawi (Ire) covered 106 mares at Darley's Dalham Hall Stud, including the dual Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe and triple King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Stakes winner Enable (GB), plus the 1,000 Guineas heroine Mawj (Ire) and her dam Modern Ideals (GB), who has already produced the multiple Group 1 winner and sire Modern Games (Ire) from a previous mating with Dubawi.

Winters Moon (Ire), the dam of another Darley stallion in Earthlight (Ire) and this year's leading two-year-old colt in Shadow Of Light (GB), also visited Dubawi, along with proven Coolmore mares such as Maybe (Ire), the dam of Saxon Warrior (Jpn), and Misty For Me (Ire), whose offspring include the multiple Group 1 winners U S Navy Flag and Roly Poly.

The 20 busiest Flat stallions in Britain and Ireland in 2024:

- 1. Calyx (GB), Coolmore, 273
- 2. Good Guess (GB), Tally-Ho Stud, 250
- 3. Sioux Nation, Coolmore, 246
- 4. Mehmas (Ire), Tally-Ho Stud, 244
- 5. Wootton Bassett (GB), Coolmore, 223
- 6. Phoenix Of Spain (Ire), Irish National Stud, 217
- 7. Churchill (Ire), Coolmore, 192
- 8. Frankel (GB), Banstead Manor Stud, 192
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- 13. Camelot (GB), Coolmore, 172

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- 15. Blackbeard (Ire), Coolmore, 171
- 16. Sergei Prokofiev, Whitsbury Manor Stud, 166
- 17. Starspangledbanner (Aus), Coolmore, 166
- 18. New Bay (GB), Ballylinch Stud, 164
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- 20. Gleneagles (Ire), Coolmore, 162

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FORMER MUNSTER PLAYER LIVING THE DREAM WITH SALES-BOUND GROUP 3 WINNER By Brian Sheerin



Johne Murphy: the former Munster Rugby player is enjoying a great run with Stride Racing | Getty Images

Impressive Eyrefield Stakes winner Sigh No More (Ire) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}) will head to the Tattersalls December Mares Sale, according to Johne Murphy, the former Munster Rugby player who heads Stride Racing.

Sigh No More provided Stride Racing with its greatest day on a racetrack at Leopardstown on Saturday when landing a 40-1 knockout punch to her rivals in that Group 3 contest.

Owned in partnership with Bronsan Racing, the Joseph O'Brien-trained juvenile has now amassed over €125,000 including bonuses for her connections, and will undoubtedly garner plenty of attention at the sales.

"The plan is for her to go to the December Mares Sale at Tattersalls where she will sell on the Monday evening," Murphy said. "We are a trading syndicate and have been doing that for four or five years.

"In our first year, we had a horse called Maritime Wings (Ire)

(Gleneagles {Ire}), and he was something of a flagbearer for our trading syndicate. When we started syndicating horses in 2017/18, it was concentrated more on the fun aspect of having horses in training."

He added, "We started at a very low level, just five or six of us, and one of our first horses, Tuamhain (GB) (Mayson {GB}), won three times. We also had a double at the Galway festival one year with a horse called Linger (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}), so that was all under the banner of Rugby And Racing. But we predominantly place ourselves in the commercial side of the market now."

It's fair to say that Stride has come a long way in a short space of time. The ownership group has never had more than 10 horses in training, the majority of which have been based with O'Brien, and Sigh No More is the classiest runner that has carried those recognisable brown and pink silks to victory.

"It's incredible, really," Murphy expanded, "because we've never really kept a horse as good as this. After they win, they are usually sold and sometimes for luck these things happen."

He added, "Personally, I think the market has underestimated her all along. She won very impressively at Galway but maybe people were cribbing the ground on the day and that maybe the race just fell apart and she was left to pick up the pieces.

"But that form has worked out very well with the third Right And True (Ire) (Arizona {Ire}) going on to win a Listed race. We had a couple of phone calls after Galway but it never materialised into a hardened offer. She's just so tough and genuine, and loves racing, so it allowed us to continue on with her. She's grossed over €125,000 between prize-money and IRE incentives before she sets foot in the ring so it has all been for luck."

There was a certain amount of luck involved in Sigh No More racing for Stride and Bronsan Racing in the first place. Originally bought by Paddy Twomey for €60,000, she was returned to the vendor Barronstown Stud at the Goffs Orby Sale last year. It was at that point where Murphy says current connections spied an opportunity to race the well-bred sister to black-type performers Neptune Rock (Ire) (Muhaarar {GB}) and Unreasonable (Ire) (No Nay Never).

He explained, "She just got spun on the day for whatever reason. We very much act in that space, with horses who qualify for auction races. We followed her into the ring and €50,000 is where we valued her. She made more than that but obviously got spun. We decided to take a chance and, with her pedigree, Joseph trained a lot of the family and we felt that it was a pretty secure bet. We forgive some things that people at a higher level of the market probably wouldn't but pedigree is very important to us and, once it's there on the page, there is always going to be some level of residual there." Cont. p9



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Johne Murphy Cont.

Murphy enjoyed a long and distinguished rugby career, earning 99 caps for Leicester and a further 93 appearances for Munster. A sportsman to the very core, his endeavours in racing have kept his competitive spirit alive in retirement and, frankly, filled the void that comes with hanging up the boots.

"One hundred per cent," the Kildare native said when asked if racing has been a helpful outlet in retirement. "I grew up going racing and my father had plenty of good ones when I was younger so I was bitten by the bug pretty early. When I retired, the first horse we syndicated was purely to keep in contact with some fellow players.

"But I'd be of the opinion that one hundred per cent of the opportunities that you don't take never materialise into anything, good or bad, so when I was given an opportunity to push on and grow the syndicate, my personality would lend itself towards taking those chances. If it works out, brilliant, and if not, at least you tried. Given my background in professional sport, you have to back yourself and thankfully it's materialised and we've had a bit of luck but then again we've great people behind us backing the model and backing what we do."

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WHIRL TAKES THE STAFFORDSTOWN FOR BALLYDOYLE by Tom Frary

All eyes were on Ballydoyle's 10-11 favourite **Giselle (Ire)** (Frankel {GB}) ahead of Tuesday's G3 Staffordstown Stud Stakes, but it was the stablemate **Whirl (Ire)** (Wootton Bassett {GB}--Salsa {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire}) who came up with the goods to edge The Curragh's mile feature. Sent straight to the front by Wayne Lordan from the outset, the relative of Galileo's star mares Hydrangea (Ire) and Hermosa (Ire) kept digging in as **And**

So To Bed (Ire) (Kodiac {GB} threatened and briefly headed her in the final furlong to re-assert close home and score by half a length. **Celtic Motif (Ire)** (Saxon Warrior {Jpn}) was three quarters of a length away in third, with Giselle a short head behind in fourth having over-raced early.

"Ryan's filly [Giselle] was a bit babyish and a bit green. He was trying to teach her, which was the right thing to do, but Wayne's filly has more experience, she got out there and is tough and found plenty," Aidan O'Brien said. "It's amazing with those Wootton Bassetts, one after another they are coming. They just get better the more you train them."

Adding of Giselle, "Ryan was delighted with her. He said she wasn't there yet, he said she got there and got a little bit tired with him. She had a big hold-up. The experience will do her good for next year."

Pedigree Notes

Whirl, who was fourth on debut behind Red Letter (GB) (Frankel {GB}) in a seven-furlong maiden here in July and was fifth in York's Convivial Maiden Stakes a month later before opening her account at Doncaster's St Leger meeting, is the first foal out of the stable's Salsa (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) whose sole win came over a mile. She is a full-sister to the aforementioned 1,000 Guineas and Irish 1,000 Guineas heroine Hermosa and the G1 Matron Stakes and G1 British Champions Fillies & Mares Stakes heroine Hydrangea and also to the G1 Rawson Stakes scorer The United States (Ire).

Hermosa is now responsible for this month's G3 Eyrefield Stakes runner-up Trinity College (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), while Hydrangea produced the weekend's G1 British Champions Fillies & Mares Stakes runner-up Wingspan (Ire) also by Dubawi who captured the Listed Hurry Harriet Stakes earlier in the season.

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G3 Staffordstown Stud Stakes Cont.

The G2 Prix du Gros-Chene-winning second dam Beauty Is Truth (Ire) (Pivotal {GB}) also produced the multiple group winner and dual group 1-placed Fire Lily (Ire) (Dansili (GB)) and the dam of the G1 Coronation Stakes third Sounds Of Heaven (GB) (Kingman {GB}).

From the Kilfrush Stud family of Zafonic's sire Zipping (Ire) and Last Tycoon (Ire) et al, Salsa's 2023 colt and 2024 filly are also by Wootton Bassett.

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Tuesday, The Curragh, Ireland **STAFFORDSTOWN STUD STAKES-G3**, €55,000, Curragh, 10-22, 2yo, f, 8fT, 1:41.75, sf.

1--WHIRL (IRE), 128, f, 2, by Wootton Bassett (GB)

1st Dam: Salsa (Ire), by Galileo (Ire)

2nd Dam: Beauty Is Truth (Ire), by Pivotal (GB)

3rd Dam: Zelding (Ire), by Warning (GB)

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN, 1ST GROUP WIN. O-Michael Tabor & Derrick Smith & Mrs John Magnier; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Wayne Lordan. €33,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$60,257. Werk Nick Rating: A+++. *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree, or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.

- 2--And So To Bed (Ire), 128, f, 2, Kodiac (GB)--Pepys Tillergirl (Ire), by Tillerman (GB). 1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GROUP BLACK TYPE. (85,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT). O-Cunningham Thoroughbreds & Thomas P O'Brien & V Zhdanov; B-Tally Ho Stud (IRE); T-Joseph O'Brien. €11,000.
- 3--Giselle (Ire), 128, f, 2, Frankel (GB)--Newspaperofrecord (Ire), by Lope De Vega (Ire). 1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GROUP BLACK **TYPE**. O-Brant, Magnier, Smith, Tabor, Westerberg; B-Coolmore & White Birch Farm SC (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien. €2,750.

Margins: HF, 3/4, HF. Odds: 6.00, 16.00, 7.00.

Also Ran: Celtic Motif (Ire), Island Hopping (Ire), Mint Candy (Ire), Cercene (Ire), Jaliyah (Ire), Copacabana Sands (Ire), Fiona Maccoul (Ire), Famed Again (Ire). Scratched: Tamam Desert (Ire).

EUROPEAN NEWS

HIGH COURT DISPUTE BETWEEN PARKIN AND FOLEY ADJOURNED UNTIL NEXT **MONTH**

A dispute between Classic-winning owner Steve Parkin and his former racing and bloodstock advisor Joe Foley over the

ownership of Sands Of Mali continued in the High Court on Tuesday.

Parkin and Foley, the owner of Ballyhane Stud, where Sands Of Mali (Fr) is based, severed ties back in March. At the time, the Clipper Logistics boss Parkin moved stallions Space Traveller (GB) and Asymmetric (Ire) from Ballyhane Stud to Starfield Stud.

The court was told on Tuesday that Sands Of Mali, who sits third in the first-season sires' championship with 18 wins in Britain and Ireland, has an estimated value of €2.4 million.

Parkin and a UK-registered company, Clipper BCS LLP, says that he bought Sands Of Mali for £270,000 [€323,000] in August 2020. He disputes the claim made by Foley that the horse is owned 50-50 and say that the horse is being unlawfully and wrongly held at Ballyhane Stud.

The case, which was brought before the High Court last week, returned before Mr Justice Oisín Quinn on Tuesday where Robert Beatty SC, acting on behalf of Parkin, said the matter could be adjourned for the defendants to file affidavits and for the plaintiffs to file any replying affidavits.

Remy Farrell SC, acting on behalf of Foley, said an unfortunate aspect to the case was that much of the detail in the plaintiffs' claims ended up being reported "but our affidavits contradict much of what is said". The case was adjourned and is likely to be heard next month.

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Sands Of Mali: is at the centre of the dispute | Ballyhane Stud

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GROUP 1-PLACED DELIUS ADDED TO TATTERSALLS AUTUMN HORSES IN TRAINING SALE



Delius | Scoop Dyga

Nineteen wildcards have been added to the Tattersalls Autumn Horses in Training Sale, headed by the G3 Prix du Lys winner and G1 Grand Prix de Paris third Delius (GB) (Frankel (GB)), who will be offered as lot 749G by Coolmore. The sale takes place at Park Paddocks from Monday, October 28 to Friday, November 1, with the full catalogue available to view here.

Bred by David Brown, Delius is one of five winners out of the Daylami (Ire) mare Whatami (GB), with the others including the G3 Hoppings Fillies' Stakes winner Nkosikazi (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}) and the Listed Wolferon Stakes scorer Juan Elcano (GB) (Frankel {GB}), who was also runner-up in the G2 Superlative Stakes and G2 York Stakes. Bought by M V Magnier for 675,000gns at the Tattersalls December Foal Sale, Delius won three of his six starts in France for Jean-Claude Rouget and also filled the runner-up spot in the G2 Prix Niel.

Another three-year-old colt by Frankel (GB) will be offered by Coolmore in the shape of **The Euphrates (GB)** (lot 749E), who won a Listed contest at Gowran Park in July, as well as the extremely valuable Irish Cesarewitch at the Curragh last month. He was trained by Aidan O'Brien, along with the juvenile Monumental (Ire) (Kingman {GB}) (lot 327E), another notable wildcard as the runner-up from the G2 Champagne Stakes at Doncaster in September.

G2 Mill Reef Stakes runner-up La Bellota (Ire) (Mehmas {Ire}, who will be offered by John Ryan Racing as lot 1129A, also features among the two-year-old additions, a group which also includes the last-time-out winners **High Season (GB)** (lot 1129D) and Antonin Dvorak (Ire) (lot 749F), both by New Bay (GB),

consigned by Kingsley Park and Spigot Lodge Stables, respectively.

The 53-strong team from Charlie Johnston's Kingsley Park was already the largest consignment due to be offered by a trainer when the original catalogue was published, while Andrew Balding's Kingsclere Training Stables had 42 lots catalogued. Balding has now added two more to that list, including the three-year-old Al Shabab Storm (GB) (Advertise {GB}) (lot 1129F), who won the G3 Goldene Peitsche at Baden-Baden earlier this year.

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"I COULDN'T SEE HIM BEING BEATEN" -HAGGAS STILL IN SHOCK AFTER ECONOMICS **DEFEAT**



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William Haggas was still reeling on Tuesday from the defeat of Economics (GB) (Night Of Thunder {Ire}) in Saturday's G1 QIPCO Champion Stakes at Ascot, with the trainer confessing that he "couldn't see him being beaten" as his stable star went in search of a fifth success from as many starts in 2024.

Economics, who went into the race having gained his first Group 1 win in the Irish Champion Stakes at Leopardstown on his previous outing, was reported to have bled from the nose after finishing only sixth of the 11 runners at Ascot, but Haggas was keen not to make any excuses when speaking to Sky Sports Racing at Yarmouth on Tuesday.

"I think he's fine," said the Newmarket trainer. "He's a bit battered and bruised but we all are. I know it sounds bizarre, but I couldn't see him being beaten. I thought he wouldn't mind the ground, I thought he'd get the trip and gallop on well, so I can't make any excuses. He didn't win and we'll have to regroup." Cont. p12

Economics/Kinross Cont.

Haggas added, "It didn't happen, but he's still a good horse in our opinion. With all that went wrong on Saturday, he still wasn't beaten very far. Hopefully, with a good winter off, he'll be back next year to prove it.

"I don't know what happened," he added when asked about the prognosis for Economics, who also bled from the nose when winning the G2 Dante Stakes at York in May. "We'll have to go to work on him and sort it out--we'll be taking every precaution."

Sprint Races Off The Table for Kinross in 2025

The Ralph Beckett-trained Kinross (GB) (Kingman {GB}) was another headline act who failed to trouble the judge at Ascot on Saturday, ultimately finishing seventh of the 20 runners when bidding to repeat his 2022 victory in the G1 QIPCO British Champions Sprint Stakes, having been sent off the 7-2 favourite.

The seven-year-old was still beaten less than four lengths, but his connections are now considering a different plan of attack for when he returns to the track in 2025, with the six-furlong distance of Saturday's race thought to be a bare minimum for him at this stage of his career.

"We were pleased with his run," said Jamie McCalmont, racing manager to owner Marc Chan. "Six furlongs is just probably too sharp for him now and maybe next year we'll stretch him out to a mile. Like always, we'll take each race as it comes, but he's fine after the race and he can have a good holiday. You'll probably see him start off somewhere in June next year.

"We're at the stage of his career where every race is a bonus. He's got the enthusiasm for it for sure, but he hasn't got the legs for that six furlongs any more and that was the problem on Saturday. He wasn't distressed afterwards and was happy, so all is good."

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BRITISH CHAMPIONS DAY CONTRIBUTES TO NEW RECORD WORLD POOL TURNOVER

Turnover on World Pool bet types across the 12 races from Randwick, Caulfield and Ascot on Saturday reached a record high for a single day's racing, the Hong Kong Jockey Club (HKJC) announced on Tuesday.

A total of HK\$424.1m (around £48m) was staked from over 28 countries, eclipsing the previous record of HK\$385.2m (£38m) set when 12 races from the Queensland and Epsom Derby meetings took place under the World Pool banner earlier this

Ascot's six races on QIPCO British Champions Day generated HK\$200m (£19.75m) of the HK\$424.1m. Turnover for the same fixture in 2023 was HK\$202.7m (£20.1m), representing a very

small decrease.

Michael Fitzsimons, executive director, Wagering Products at the HKJC, said, "Saturday's action certainly got the pulse racing. The big-field Group 1 contests from Randwick, Caulfield and Ascot lined up a perfect day of action for punters across the globe and we're delighted to see turnover hit a new record high.

"It was only World Pool's second ever three-fixture composite card and it was hugely encouraging that the action from Australia and the UK really caught the attention of our global customers, showing the extent of interest in top-class racing across the globe."

Last week, the Hong Kong Jockey Club (HKJC) announced that World Pool contributions to UK and Irish racecourses had surpassed £50 million, while Billy Loughnane went into Saturday's action at Ascot with a healthy lead in the the inaugural UK and Ireland World Pool Jockeys' Championship.

Loughnane ended the day still clear at the top of the leaderboard and chose the Christy Lambe Foundation as his recipient of the £50,000 charity donation.

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BOWLING BUDDY TOPS DONCASTER OCTOBER HIT AND YEARLING SALE



Bowling Buddy | Goffs UK

Olly Murphy's prolific hurdler **Bowling Buddy (Ire)** (Ask {GB}) topped Tuesday's Goffs October HIT and Yearling Sale at Doncaster when selling to Adam Nicol for £58,000. Offered as lot 146, he gained his third consecutive success from only four starts under Rules when winning a novice hurdle at Wetherby last week.

Other notable lots included the five-year-old **Highly** Recommended (GB) (Highland Reel {Ire}), who was consigned by Mel Rowley's Poplar Cottage Stables as lot 149 following his victory in a novice hurdle at Ludlow. Cont. p13

Doncaster October HIT & Yearling Sale Cont.

He sold to Mary Lewis for £38,000, while the Jamie Railton Sales Agency offered Cossack Chach (Ire) (Churchill {Ire}) (lot 129), a four-year-old who shed his maiden tag over fences at Sligo earlier this month. He was bought by Jerry McGrath Bloodstock and Gold Star Promotions for £36,000.

The highest-priced yearling to be sold was lot 209, a Zoustar (Aus) filly from Yapham Manor Stud who went the way of Jason Kelly Bloodstock for £22,000.

From a bigger catalogue than in 2023, the clearance rate dropped by 5% to 65%, with 88 lots being sold for a total of £737,500 (+23%) and at an average of £8,381 (+6%). The median was £4,000 (-20%).

Goffs UK managing director Tim Kent said, "Today's sale acted as an outlet for trainers and yearling vendors to trade stock at all levels of the market and, whilst we are satisfied with the level of trade, we are aware that we need to do something to encourage more vendors to sell a greater number of horses at this sale.

"The October Sale provides a convenient and timely option for those looking to disperse stock and Doncaster never fails to deliver a diverse and busy buying bench, especially when we are given the horses.

"We would like to thank those that supported today's sale and we look forward to returning to Doncaster at the end of next week to offer an outstanding catalogue of NH foals, yearlings and breeding stock in our British NH Breeders Showcase."

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STARMAN HALF TO OBVIOUSLY ONE OF THE

A varied catalogue of 123 yearlings, foals, and mares has been

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catalogued for the Nov. 14 Tattersalls Ireland Sapphire Sale.

Some of the yearling highlights will be a Starman (GB) colt who is a half-brother to Grade I winner Obviously (Ire) (Choisir {Aus}) (lot 905); while lot 900 is a Gleneagles (Ire) colt who is a halfbrother to Group 3 winner Jet Away (GB) (Cape Cross {Ire}); lot 920 is an Aclaim (Ire) (lot 920) colt out of a daughter to Group 1 winner Pipalong (Ire) (Pips Pride {GB}); and there is also a colt by Raven's Pass (lot 927) out of a half-sister to Group 1 winner Scope (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}).

There are foals by a wide variety of sires, with lot 958, a King Of Change (GB) filly out of Group 3 winner Gothic Dance (Ire) (Dalakhani {Ire}) set to sell; lot 997, a Supremacy (Ire) colt out of Group 2-placed Cochabamba (Ire) (Hurricane Run {Ire}); and a Shaman (Ire) colt (lot 1000) out of a daughter of Group 3 winner Dazzling Park (Ire) (Warning).

Of the eight mares set to sell, lot 1003, Dark Reckoning (GB) (Equiano {Fr}), a winner of the G3 Firth Of Clyde Stakes, will sell in foal to Coulsty (Ire).

The sale will begin at 11 a.m. All yearling purchases are eligible for the €250,000 Tattersalls Ireland Super Auction Sales Stakes at the Irish Champions Festival in 2025.



The Sapphire Sale will take place on Nov. 14 | Tattersalls Ireland

ALMOST 30 YEARLINGS SUPPLEMENTED TO GOFFS AUTUMN YEARLING SALE

A total of 28 yearlings have been supplemented to the Goffs Autumn Yearling Sale on Nov. 5-7. Catalogued as lots 791-819, they will be offered on Thursday, the final session of the sale.

Thirteen yearlings are eligible for next year's Goffs Two Million Series which offers a guaranteed prize fund of €2,000,000 in the Goffs €1 Million Bonus Race Series which will see 20 bonuses of €50,000 paid to qualified winners of a series of 2year-old maidens in Ireland and the UK as well as Europe's richest 2-year-old race, the Goffs Million. There is also one lot eligible from the supplementary lots for Harry's Half Million, lot 800, a colt by Twilight Son (GB).

Some of the lots joining the sale are: a Starman (GB) (lot 796) colt who is a half-brother to the stakes-placed Loterie (Ire) (Ten Sovereigns (Ire); lot 815, a Dandy Man (Ire) full-sister to the winner and stakes-placed Countess Rosina (Ire), and a Cotai Glory (GB) colt (lot 811) out of a half-sister to Group 1-placed and multiple stakes winner Lily's Angel (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}).

The Autumn Horses-in-Training Sale catalogue was also released on Tuesday. Set for Tuesday, Nov. 5 beginning at 11 a.m., that sale features 121 horses-in-training, followed by 2 1/2 days of yearlings.

Some of the horses-in-training lots of note include Curragh handicap winner Masoun (Fr) (Too Darn Hot {GB}) (lot 65), the 90-rated Ridhaz (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}) (lot 64), Down Royal winner Future Cutlet (Ire) (Buratino (Ire)) (lot 52), and Kodiac (GB)'s Do Si So (Ire) (lot 62), who won at Naas at second asking recently.



Almost 30 supplements were added to the Autumn Yearling Sale on Tuesday | Goffs

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Among the National Hunt lots are Thecompanysergeant (GB) (Kayf Tara {GB}) (lot 93), fourth in the G1 Gold Cup at Fairyhouse; and The Dancing Tree (Ire) (Pillar Coral {GB}) (lot 97), a six-length bumper winner.

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INAUGURAL AUCTAV JANUARY MIXED FLAT SALE ANNOUNCED

The new Auctav January Mixed Sale, catering to the Flat racing market, was announced by the sales company on Tuesday. It will be held at Haras de Bois Roussel, also the site for the company's summer sales, from Jan. 27-30.

The sale will be open to foals, yearlings, broodmares, stallion shares, and horses-in-training, all bred for the Flat.

"The January mixed sale will be held from January 27 to 30," said Arnaud Angéliaume, general director of Auctav.

"The Auctav January Mixed Sale was created to meet demands we've been hearing from the field. Auctav has always aimed to position itself as business facilitators by offering tailor-made sales. We have the flexibility to quickly adapt to real-world needs rather than imposing a rigid schedule on sellers.

"It will truly be a catalogue filled with uncut gems, and like the jewelry business, the prices will reflect the potential for great deals."

Haras de Bois Roussel will also host the Auctav Flat Yearling Sale from Sept. 8-11 in the coming year.

Angeliaume added, "Auctav has matured, and it is time to offer the French market a fresh commercial proposition."

Entries for the new sale are now open and will close on Dec. 1. For more information, please visit the Auctav website.

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FRENCH DECLARATION RULES AMENDED FOR INTERNATIONAL HORSES

There is now a 15-day training rule required to participate in French races which will go into effect on Nov. 12.

In accordance with Article 111 of the Rules of Racing (Entrainement d'un cheval entrainé hors de France du Code des Courses au Galop), any horse trained outside of France and entered in a public race in France must be duly declared by its trainer via the France Galop website (Site Pro) at least 15 days before the race the horse will be entered.

From now on, if a horse is not declared via the France Galop website at least 15 days prior to the race, the entry will be invalidated. It is possible to view what date a horse is authorized to race from by selecting the "my training list" section of the France Galop website.

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RULE CHANGES FOR FRANCE GALOP'S POLYTRACK CHALLENGE REVEALED

Now in its second year, the Polytrack Challenge, sponsored by Martin Collins, will continue during the French all-weather season, but with a couple of rule modifications, France Galop announced on Tuesday.

The two race categories remain unchanged, the sprint/mile division and the intermediate/Classic division will each offer the €40,000 to the winners at the end of the season, with the finals at Cagnes-sur-Mer. The points scale will be as follows for the Prix Irish River (Nov. 3), Prix Luthier (Dec. 4), Prix Lyphard (Nov. 26) and Prix Arcangues (Dec. 19): first (50 points), second (30), third (15), fourth (10) and fifth (5). For the Prix Saonois (Feb. 16) and Grand Prix de la Riviera Cote d'Azur (Jan. 25), the point scale will change to 70 points for first, 40 points for second, 20 for third, 15 for fourth and 10 for fifth. There is also a new rule that will apply to win the bonus: the horse who finished first or second in either division needs to have run in at least two "Challenge" races including the final for the owner to get the bonus. If this condition is not met, the bonus which should have gone to his/her owner will not be awarded to the horse and instead go to the next horses's owner who meets this condition.

For more information on the rule changes, please visit the France Galop website.



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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Wednesday, October 23, 2024:

UNITED KINGDOM

Beckford (GB) (Bated Breath {GB}),

5 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners 17:15-NEWMARKET, 7f, **Arbitration (Ire)**

Earthlight (Ire) (Shamardal), Kildangan Stud
113 foals of racing age/16 winners/1 black-type winner
17:08-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, Towerlands (Ire)
55,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023
17:15-NEWMARKET, 7f, Ecology (Ire)
75,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023;
110,000gns RNA Tattersalls Craven Breeze Up Sale 2024

Ghaiyyath (Ire) (Dubawi {Ire}), Kildangan Stud
101 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
14:55-NEWMARKET, 10f, Ivatt (GB)
15:30-NEWMARKET, 10f, Gretna Dreams (Ire)
€35,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling 2023; 28,000gns
RNA Tattersalls Craven Breeze Up Sale 2024

Golden Horde (Ire) (Lethal Force {Ire}), Haras de Montfort et Preaux

44 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners 13:45-NEWMARKET, 7f, Qarlyga (Fr)

Hello Youmzain (Fr) (Kodiac {GB}), Haras d'Etreham 110 foals of racing age/15 winners/2 black-type winners 17:15-NEWMARKET, 7f, Veydari (Ire) 38,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 58,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023; 200,000gns Tattersalls Craven Breeze Up Sale 2024

Legends of War (Scat Daddy), March Hare Stud 14 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners 17:08-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, **Dios de La Guerra (GB)**

Mohaather (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), Beech House Stud 96 foals of racing age/16 winners/2 black-type winners 13:45-NEWMARKET, 7f, Penn Avenue (GB) 30,000gns RNA Tattersalls December Yearling Sale 2023 16:35-KEMPTON PARK, 6f, Skellig Isle (GB) 17:15-NEWMARKET, 7f, Noble Guest (GB)

55,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 100,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

Persian King (Ire) (Kingman {GB}), Haras d'Etreham

103 foals of racing age/11 winners/0 black-type winners

13:45-NEWMARKET, 7f, Live Each Day (GB)

40,000gns RNA Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2023

13:45-NEWMARKET, 7f, Pershalla (GB)

50,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

14:20-NEWMARKET, 7f, Treble Tee (Ire)

€55,000 Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2023

Romanised (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot

84 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners 13:45-NEWMARKET, 7f, **With Zest (Fr)**

Sands of Mali (Fr) (Panis), Ballyhane Stud 99 foals of racing age/15 winners/1 black-type winner 13:45-NEWMARKET, 7f, Misty Sky (Ire) 16,000gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; £35,000 Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2023

Sergei Prokofiev (Scat Daddy), Whitsbury Manor Stud 121 foals of racing age/18 winners/2 black-type winners 16:35-KEMPTON PARK, 6f, Sweet Sonata (GB) 17:15-NEWMARKET, 7f, Cairdeas (GB) 95,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 60,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 1) 2023 17:40-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, El Bosh (GB) 30,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 38,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023



Sergei Prokofiev | Whitsbury Manor Stud

Threat (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}), Haras du Mont Goubert 42 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners 13:45-NEWMARKET, 7f, **Kathleen Mary (GB)** 1,500gns Tattersalls December Yearling Sale 2023

Without Parole (GB) (Frankel {GB}), Newsells Park Stud 53 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners 15:30-NEWMARKET, 10f, Lazieelunch (GB) 23,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 42,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

IRELAND

Arizona (Ire) (No Nay Never), Coolmore Stud 66 foals of racing age/8 winners/1 black-type winner 1-NAVAN, 5.75f, Temps Leve (Ire) €10,000 RNA Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

Far Above (Ire) (Farhh {GB}), Starfield Stud 83 foals of racing age/9 winners/1 black-type winner 1-NAVAN, 5.75f, Aboveheronlysky (Ire) €3,500 Goffs Autumn Yearling Sale 2023

River Boyne (Ire) (Dandy Man {Ire}), Tara Stud 30 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners 1-NAVAN, 5.75f, Tara Na Ri (Ire) €14,000 RNA Goffs November Foal Sale 2022; €8,000 Goffs Autumn Yearling Sale 2023

Sergei Prokofiev (Scat Daddy), Whitsbury Manor Stud
121 foals of racing age/18 winners/2 black-type winners
1-NAVAN, 5.75f, Ballymagreehan (GB)
10,000gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2022; 14,000gns
Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 3) 2023; €9,500 RNA
Argana Deauville Summer Mixed Sale 2024

FRANCE

Golden Horde (Ire) (Lethal Force {Ire}), Haras de Montfort et Preaux

44 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners 1-TOULOUSE, 1200m, **Eurasia (Fr)** €16,000 Arqana December Breeding Stock Sale 2022 4-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, **Moorea (Fr)**

Sergei Prokofiev (Scat Daddy), Whitsbury Manor Stud 121 foals of racing age/18 winners/2 black-type winners 4-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, Toccataa (Ire) €19,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2023

Sottsass (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}), Coolmore Stud 98 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners 3-DEAUVILLE, 1600m, L'Amiraute (Ire) €90,000 Argana Deauville August Yearling Sale 2023

Threat (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}), Haras du Mont Goubert 42 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners 1-TOULOUSE, 1200m, Hemevez (Fr) €3,500 Arqana Deauville Nov. Yearling Sale 2023 3-DEAUVILLE, 1600m, Come Away (Fr) €19,000 RNA Arqana Deauville Nov. Yearling Sale 2023

Yafta (GB) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Haras de la Haie Neuve 26 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners 4-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, Marvin of Success (Fr)

OBSERVATIONS

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KINGMAN HALF TO MOSTAHDAF AND NAZEEF DEBUTS AT NEWMARKET

2.20 Newmarket, Novice, £8,500, 2yo, c/g, 7fT

MUDBIR (GB) (Kingman {GB}) is one of the key players on an intriguing card made up mainly of 2-year-old contests, being Shadwell's half-brother to the G1 Prince of Wales's Stakes hero Mostahdaf (Ire) (Frankel {GB}) and the G1 Falmouth Stakes and G1 Sun Chariot Stakes winner Nazeef (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}). Like that talented duo, John and Thady Gosden have charge of the homebred son of Handassa (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) whose peers include Juddmonte's Pinhole (GB) (Frankel {GB}), a Sir Michael Stoute-trained full-brother to the G1 Fillies' Mile winner Quadrilateral (GB).

2.55 Newmarket, Mdn, £12,000, 2yo, 10fT

THE CURSOR (GB) (Frankel {GB}) is introduced by Andrew Balding over an extreme trip for a juvenile, which may give a clue as to the stamina expectations of this son of the G1 Prix de l'Opera heroine Villa Marina (GB) (Le Havre {Ire}). Representing King Power Racing, the 400,000gns Tattersalls October Book 1 graduate meets Godolphin's 1million gns Tattersalls October Book 1 purchase Arabian Poet (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}), the Charlie Appleby-trained son of Shastye (Ire) (Danehill) who was seventh on debut on the July Course here in August.

HOW THEY FARED

1.30 Curragh, Group 3, €55,000, 2yo, f, 8fT Giselle (Ire) (Frankel {GB}), the daughter of the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf heroine Newspaperofrecord (Ire) (Lope De Vega {Ire}), was notably keen throughout the early stages and when delivered with her run tired late to be a close fourth.

BRITAIN

Tuesday's Results:

1st-Great Yarmouth, £9,950, Novice, 10-22, 2yo, f, 8f 3yT, 1:42.78, sf.

ALOBAYYAH (GB) (f, 2, Ghaiyyath {Ire}--Aquatinta {Ger} **(GSW-Fr, \$132,392), by Samum (Ger))**, sent off at 4-1, was waited with in rear throughout the early stages. Hand ridden the whole way, the newcomer made up ground effortlessly to draw alongside Regal Agenda (GB) (Pinatubo {Ire}) a furlong from home before easing clear for a bloodless 2 1/4-length success. "She travelled good and it was pretty nice the way she swung on through," Tom Marquand said. "She's come back and just sauntered up to the stable yard, which is what you want to see. We ride to educate first time and anything else is a bonus, so that was a nice start." The winner, her first-crop sire's fifth with one of the others being the same yard's similarly once-raced Rhapsody (Ire) who also won here this month, is a daughter of the G3 Prix Miesque-winning dam whose family includes the Listed Empress Stakes winner and G3 Prix du Calvados-placed Katie's Diamond (Fr) (Turtle Bowl {Ire}). Aquatinta's yearling colt is by Pinatubo (Ire). Sales history: 115,000gns Ylg '23 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,881.

O-Sheikh Mana bin Mohammed Al Maktoum; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Limited (GB); T-William Haggas.

2nd-Great Yarmouth, £9,950, Novice, 10-22, 2yo, 5f 42yT, 1:04.32, sf.

COROLLA POINT (IRE) (g, 2, Blue Point {Ire}--Platinum Coast, by Speightstown), sent off the 3-1 second favourite, was held up towards the rear early. Making smooth progress on the wing to take command a furlong out, the newcomer stayed on to score a shade cosily by 3/4 of a length from So Darn Hot (GB) (Too Darn Hot {GB}). The dam, whose yearling colt by Supremacy (Ire) was a relative snip at €12,500 when bought by Yeomanstown Stud at the recent Tattersalls Ireland September Sale, is a half-sister to the GII San Clemente Handicap winner Istanford (Istan). She also has a filly foal by Arizona (Ire). Sales history: €78,000 Ylg '23 TATIRY; 800,000gns 2yo '24 TATBRE. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,881.

O-Godolphin; B-Mr & Mrs Reddy Coffey (IRE); T-Charlie Appleby.

3rd-Newcastle, £**9,650, Novice**, 10-22, 2yo, 7f 14y (AWT), 1:28.45, st.

HAPPY TO FLY (GER) (f, 2, Pinatubo {Ire}--Hargeisa {GSW-Ity, MGSP-Fr, GSP-Ger}, by Speightstown), ninth on debut over six furlongs at Southwell earlier this month, raced in the front line

early. Staying on gamely to grab the lead in the final half furlong, the 40-1 shot prevailed by 1 1/4 lengths from Miss Yorkshire (Fr) (Johnny Barnes {Ire}) and bring his first-crop sire's tally of winners to 17. The speedy dam, who captured the G3 Premio Primi Passi and was placed in three other pattern races including the G2 Prix Robert Papin, is responsible for the G2 German 1,000 Guineas and G3 Zukunfts-Rennen-winning TDN Rising Star Habana (Ger) (Kingman {GB}). From the family of the sire Kaldoun (Fr), her son of Sea The Moon (Ger) was a €75,000 purchase by Philip Baron von Ullmann at the recent BBAG September Yearling Sale. Sales history: €52,000 Ylg '23 BBAGS. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$6,674.

O-Jaber Abdullah; T-Charlie Johnston.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Sword (GB), g, 3, Kingman (GB)--Ame Bleue (GB) (SW & G1SP-Fr, \$169,950), by Dubawi (Ire). Newcastle, 10-22, 10f 42y (AWT), 2:07.87. Lifetime Record: 7-1-2-1, \$12,589. B-Dayton Investments Ltd (GB). *500,000gns Ylg '22 TATOCT.

IRELAND

Tuesday's Results:

1st-Curragh, €20,000, Mdn, 10-22, 2yo, 6fT, 1:16.42, sf. SARACEN (FR) (c, 2, Siyouni {Fr}--Soteria {Ire}, by Acclamation {GB}), sent off at 3-1, was restrained behind the front pair throughout the early stages. Moving to the long-time leader Pickersgill (Ire) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}) with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, the newcomer stayed on to score by four lengths. "He was impressive, he's a nice colt and had been showing up well at home," trainer Joseph O'Brien said. Cont. p18



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1st-Curragh Cont.

He added, "He was going to make his debut a few weeks ago, but just had a little setback. He quickened up really smartly there and looks like a smart horse for next season. I'm delighted to have, what potentially looks like, a good horse for Al Shaqab and the team. They've been good supporters of ours. This guy will come back for a Guineas trial in the spring. We were a little bit worried about [soft] ground conditions, but you have no choice at this time of year. We were hopeful that he'd cope with them, but given his pedigree and how he looks I'd expect him to be better on a faster surface. Obviously he'll have no problem going a bit further as well, given his pedigree." The dam, whose yearling full-brother to the winner sold the same afternoon to George Mullins for €290,000, is also responsible for the Listed Rose Bowl Stakes-placed Imperial Yellow (Ire) (New Bay {GB}). She is a half-sister to four black-type performers including the G1 Prix Morny runner-up Gallagher (GB) (Bahamian Bounty (GB)) and the dam of Showcasing's G1 Sussex Stakes-winning first-season sire Mohaather (GB) and GII Monrovia Stakes and GII San Clemente Handicap winner Prize Exhibit (GB). Sales history: €500,000 Ylg '23 ARAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,989.

O-Al Shaqab Racing; B-China Horse Club International Ltd (FR); T-Joseph O'Brien.

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4th-Curragh, €**20,000, Mdn**, 10-22, 3yo/up, 12fT, 2:37.93, yl. RUBIES ARE RED (IRE) (f, 3, Galileo {Ire}--Red Evie {Ire} {Broodmare Of The Year-Ire, G1SW-Eng, G1SW-Ire, \$763,111}, by Intikhab), who was a live Oaks contender in June having impressed when second in the Listed Lingfield Oaks Trial, was having her 10th try at breaking her maiden and followed the leading group early. Taking aim at Elana Osario (GB) (Lope De Vega (Ire)) inside the final two furlongs, the full-sister to the Arc heroine Found (Ire) got to her with 100 yards remaining and stayed on to score by 3/4 of a length as the 2-1 favourite. "She has a lot of ability and Ryan said she'd be way better in a better race," Aidan O'Brien said. "There is probably not much left for her, there is the Finale Stakes back here on the last day and we might see her again in that." Alongside Found, who also captured the GI Breeders' Cup Turf before producing the G2 Vintage Stakes winner Battleground (War Front), the G1 Lockinge Stakes and G1 Matron Stakes-winning Red Evie is also responsible for Galileo's G3 Give Thanks Stakes scorer Best In The World (Ire) who produced the brilliant Oaks heroine Snowfall (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}), his G3 C. L. Weld Park Stakes winner Magical Dream (Ire) and G3 Flame Of Tara Irish Stakes winner and G1 Irish Oaks runner-up Divinely (Ire). Her 2024 filly is by Wootton Bassett (GB). Lifetime Record: SP-Eng, 10-1-2-3,

\$37,296.

O-D Smith, Mrs J Magnier, M Tabor, Westerberg; B-Coolmore (IRE); T-Aidan O'Brien.

FRANCE

Tuesday's Results:

3rd-Clairefontaine, €30,000, Cond, 10-22, 2yo, c/g, 8fT, 1:45.40, vhy.

DARIUS CEN (FR) (c, 2, Persian King {Ire}--Briseida {GB} {GSW-Ger, \$156,610}, by Pivotal {GB}), third on debut at Chantilly last month, quickly established himself on the lead. Stretching clear from the top of the straight, the 6-4 second favourite had 11 lengths to spare over Millar (GB) (Kingman (GB)) at the line to make it a dozen winners for his first-season sire. The winner is currently the last known foal out of the G2 German 1,000 Guineas-winning dam, whose previous best are Dansili's G3 Preis des Winterfavoriten scorer Brisanto (GB) and G3 Fritz Henkel Stiftung-Rennen winner Bristano (GB). Also the second dam of the G2 Prix Greffulhe runner-up Pappalino (Fr) (Makfi (GB)), she hails from the family of Machiavellian's sire Titus Livius (Fr) and the GI Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf and GI Diana Stakes-winning champion grass mare Zagora (Fr) (Green Tune). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, €22,000. O/B-Yeguada Centurion SLU (FR); T-Victoria Head.

4th-Clairefontaine, €**30,000**, **Cond**, 10-22, 2yo, f, 8fT, 1:48.60, vhy. **CARISHA (FR) (f, 2, Reliable Man {GB}--Cabarita {Ger} {GSP-Ger}, by Areion {Ger})**, sixth on debut over this trip at Chantilly last month, broke well before being restrained to race behind the leading trio. Looking well-held for much of the straight, the 13-2 shot stayed on dourly to wear down the tiring Stitching Wheel (Ire) (Teofilo {Ire}) in the dying strides and score by 1 1/4 lengths. The dam, who was third in the G3 Sparkasse Holstein Cup, also has the yearling colt Crook (Fr) by Elarqam (GB). The family includes the juvenile group 1-winning sires Dabirsim (Fr) and Arizona (Ire) and the latter's GII Mrs. Revere Stakes-winning full-sister Nay Lady Nay (Ire). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €16,500. O/B-Carsten Biedermann (FR); T-Mauricio Delcher Sanchez.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

2nd-Marseille-Borely, €30,000, 10-22, 3yo, 9fT, 1:55.17, hy. COMME QUOI (FR) (g, 3, Mastercraftsman {Ire}--Spirit Of Pearl {Ire} {SP-Ire}, by Invincible Spirit {Ire} Lifetime Record: 7-2-4-0, €46,500. O/B-Jean-Claude Seroul (FR); T-Jerome Reynier. *1/2 to Spirit Of Nelson (Ire) (Mount Nelson {GB}), MGSW-Fr, GSP-Ity, \$327,401; & to Une Perle (Ire) (Mount Nelson {GB}), GSW-Ity, SW & MGSP-Fr, \$170,064.

1st-Marseille-Borely, €**22,000**, 10-22, 4yo/up, 8 1/2fT, 1:51.04,

CAMBRONNE (FR) (g, 4, Alex The Winner--Candie {Fr}, by **Kendargent {Fr})** Lifetime Record: MSP-Fr, 26-9-4-5, €207,480. O-Gousserie Racing; B-Mme L Lemiere Dubois (FR); T-Patrice Cottier.

6th-Clairefontaine, **€20,000**, 10-22, 3yo, 7fT, 1:32.70, vhy. BAIGNADE (IRE) (f, 3, Calyx {GB}--Illico {GB}, by Dansili {GB}) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-2, €41,300. O-Gousserie Racing; B-Prospect Stables (IRE); T-Patrice Cottier. *8,000gns Wlg '21 TATFOA; 8,500gns RNA Ylg '22 TATOCT; €42,000 2yo '23 ARQMAY.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Tanfepas (Fr), f, 2, Raven's Pass--Fetan Joa (Fr) (SW-Fr), by Enrique (GB). Marseille-Borely, 10-22, 10fT, 2:09.99. B-J C Seroul (FR).

Zala (Fr), f, 3, Born To Sea (Ire)--Zainzana (Fr), by Green Desert. Clairefontaine, 10-22, 8fT, 1:49.70. B-Ecurie Sagara (FR).

WORLDWIDE NEWS

NO CONCERNS FOR VIA SISTINA AFTER SCARE

Chris Waller's star mare Via Sistina (Ire) (Fastnet Rock (Aus)) had a scare at Tuesday's Breakfast With The Stars when her bandage came unravelled and she tripped, dislodging jockey James McDonald. Both horse and rider were fine, although Via Sistina galloped several laps before being caught.

"We'll accept for Saturday and use all that time, right up until Saturday morning, to make sure everyone is happy," Waller told racenet.com.au about Saturday's G1 Cox Plate. "The horse is 100% first and foremost, we'll go beyond that, take bloods, make sure the vets are happy, make sure the strappers are happy, she will only run if she's 100%. She's had a tough day on the training track, the key now, this afternoon, is a nice easy time, she'd normally have a gallop Thursday, that will be abandoned, it's not required. She'll have a light cantering in the park type work, a trip to the beach, let her be a horse, nice picks of grass and just let her chill out.

"Firstly, when I first saw her, I feared the worst that something tragically might've gone wrong and you take comfort that hasn't happened and she's safe. Second to that, no skin off, no hair off, horses are unpredictable animals and she just got a fright, her heart rate is back down.

"We've given her a nice walk, she's had a good drink, almost a bucket of water, no different to us, replaced fluid and her heart rate is down. She dried off really quick which is a good sign, there's no more sweat, we hosed her for a second time and she's back to normal, while it's disappointing, I'm grateful the horse is 100%."

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JUSTIFY SIRES TOP TWO LOTS AT GOLD **COAST HIT SALE**

Former American shuttle sire Justify sired the top pair of lots during Tuesday's Magic Millions Gold Coast Horses-in-Training

A colt (lot 76) out of Port Augusta (Aus) (Encosta De Lago {Aus}) made A\$700,000 on the bid of Yulong. Hong Kong's Lok Lor was the underbidder. Consigned by KO Racing, the bay was a A\$300,000 graduate of the Gold Coast Yearling Sale and was prepared by Kenmore Lodge for this trip back through the ring.

"He was a pretty easy horse to prepare," Kenmore's Kellie Bond said. "He had so much quality, a beautiful pedigree and was just a ripping individual.

"It was pretty easy to see he was going to be a quality lot. They (buyers) were all over him the minute he got here. His breeze up was exceptional--great stride length and he's by a horse who can get an absolute superstar."

"You could easily see why he would get a good result and it was nice that Yulong was able to secure him," Bond added.

A half-brother to three winners from three to race for his dam, the colt's best half-sibling is the two-time winner and stakes performer Lady Young (Aus) (Fastnet Rock (Aus)). His dam is a half-sister to Group 1 sire and runner Holy Roman Emperor (Ire) (Danehill).

Nolen Racing offered lot 88, a filly by the American Triple Crown Winner. She brought A\$425,000 from Bartholomew & Co. The filly is a half-sister to stakes winner Religify (Aus) (Choisir {Aus}) with the duo out of Sacred Witness (Aus) (El Moxie {Aus}).

"They liked her and we liked her when we first saw her," Bartholomew said moments after the gavel fell on the filly who breezed impressively at Seymour. "She's a lovely, big-framed filly by Justify, and you can't get any more of them. He's not coming back from America. It's all in the lap of the gods from

The filly changed hands for A\$60,000 at the Magic Millions National Yearling Sale.

The next two lots each sold for A\$280,000 apiece: lot 138, an Ole Kirk (Aus) colt from Network Bloodstock and lot 166, a Zousain (Aus) colt from Nolen Racing, who both sold to Hong Kong's Magus Equine, Ltd.

Magic Millions Cont.

At the close of trade, 105 juveniles sold (65.2%) for a gross of A\$7,331,000. The average increased to A\$69,819 and the median was almost flat at A\$40,000. It was A\$41,000 in 2023.

"We always thought it was going to be a polarising market and that's exactly what it was," Magic Millions Managing Director Barry Bowditch said. "I thought when the quality horses with good confirmation and by the right sire walked in the ring, there was very buoyant bidding on them."

"I thought the top 20 horses sold particularly well. All in all we've had a significant increase in gross and average price which is encouraging."

"We were hoping to have a clearance rate around 70% and we are working toward that figure. We will keep working over the next 24 to 48 hours to get more sold," Bowditch added.

For the full sale results, please visit the Magic Millions website.

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Arqana October Yearling Sale - Day 2

Lot Sex Pedigree	Price	Previous Sale	Buyer
240 F Ardad x Ysper	18,000	ARDEC	Vendor
246 C Zelzal x Abbronzatissima	14,000	ARDEC	SAS IEI
262 C Mehmas x Aluwaina	45,000	ARDEC	Chauvigny Global Equine
265 F Victor Ludorum x Amourette	40,000	ARDEC	Guy Petit
277 C Mehmas x Azahar	70,000	ARDEC	Vendor
293 F Zarak x Cajula	50,000	ARDEC	Vendor
309 F Havana Grey x Copper Kitten	38,000	ARDEC	Vendor
323 C Victor Ludorum x Do It In Rio	35,000	ARDEC	Vendor
327 C Cloth of Stars x Edavanna	4,000	ARFEB	SARL LJ Negoce

^{*}Information sourced from Weatherbys. **Price is in currency of sale sold at.







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